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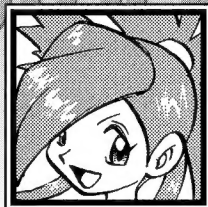
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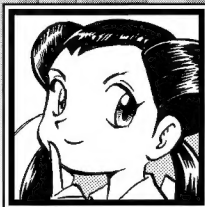
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The hot-tempered Gym Leader of Lavaridge Town.



Brawly

The powerful Gym Leader of Dewford Gym.



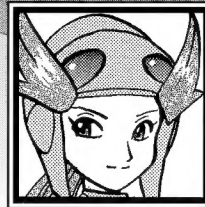
Roxanne

The Gym Leader of Rustboro City. She can be quite emotional.



Wallace

The Gym Leader of Sootopolis City. Ruby considers him to be his master trainer!



Winona

The leader of the Gym Leaders.



Sapphire

Ruby

...is unsuccessful. Frustrated, Sapphire heads down to Fortree City from Lavaridge Town.

Meanwhile, Ruby helps trapped workers when Team Magma causes a Rusturf Tunnel collapse. Then, Ruby manages to win all the categories at the Normal Rank Pokémon Contest. But while at Fallarbor Town, Ruby meets Wallace, the Gym Leader of Sootopolis, whose Pokémon are far more "beautiful" than Ruby's. Ruby insists on becoming Wallace's pupil.

Later, Ruby and Sapphire are reunited on Route 109 at Fortree City, where the Gym Leaders have gathered for an urgent meeting...

Team Aqua seeks to awaken the Legendary Pokémon Kyogre. In order to achieve this, they put into motion a plan to cease the volcanic activity of Mount Chimney. Sapphire tries to stop them, but...



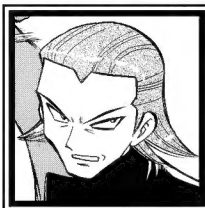
Blaise

One of the Three Fires of Team Magma. He creates illusions with flame to deceive people.



Tabitha

One of the Three Fires of Team Magma. He has a Torkoal.



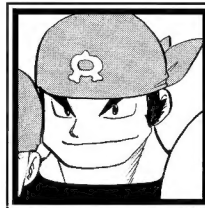
Maxie

The leader of Team Magma.



Amber

Archie's most trusted follower. He has a Carvanha.



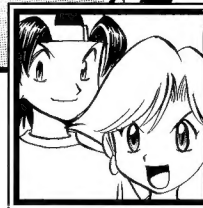
Matt

One of three members of the Team Aqua SSS. Muscular and intelligent.



Archie

The leader of mysterious Team Aqua. A ruthless, coldhearted man.



Gabby & Ty

A Hoenn TV reporter and camera operator.



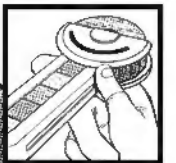
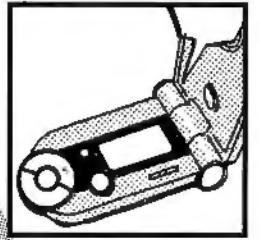
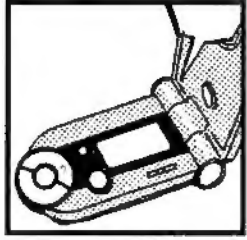
Wattson

The Gym Leader of Mauville City, who loves to crack jokes.

SAPPHIRE

TRAINERS OF THE FOURTH CHAPTER

RUBY



SAPPHIRE ● AGE 10

RUBY ● AGE 11

A wild trainer whose dream is to challenge and defeat every single Gym Leader in the Hoenn region!!

A trainer who wants to be the champion of all the Pokémon Contests. Visual beauty is a priority for Ruby. He has zero interest in Pokémon Battling. But does he secretly have a talent for it...?

CHIC

COMBUSKEN ♀

Introverted. Uses fire-type moves.

MUMU

MARSHTOMP ♂

A Pokémon given to Ruby by Professor Birch. Easygoing. Represents Toughness.

RONO

LAIRON ♂

Mischievous. Proud of its toughness. Its favorite move is Take Down.

NANA

MIGHTYENA ♀

Intense. Represents Coolness.

LORRY

WAILORD ♂

Bold. Sapphire rides the waves on Lorry's back.

KIKI

DELICATY ♀

Naive. Represents Cuteness.

PHADO

DONPHAN ♂

Befriended by Sapphire at Mauville City. Hasty nature.

FEEFEE

FEEBAS ♀

A humble Pokémon that a swimmer convinced Ruby to take on.

TROPPI

TROPIUS ♂

Sapphire flies through the air on Troppy's back. This calm Pokémon usually stays outside its Poké Ball.

FOFO

CASTFORM ♀

Changes form in response to weather changes. Cautious.

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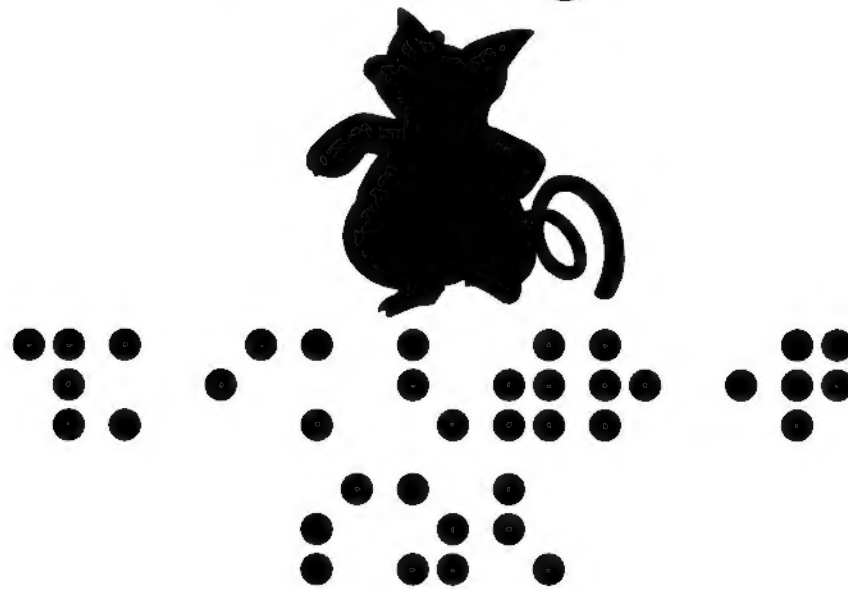
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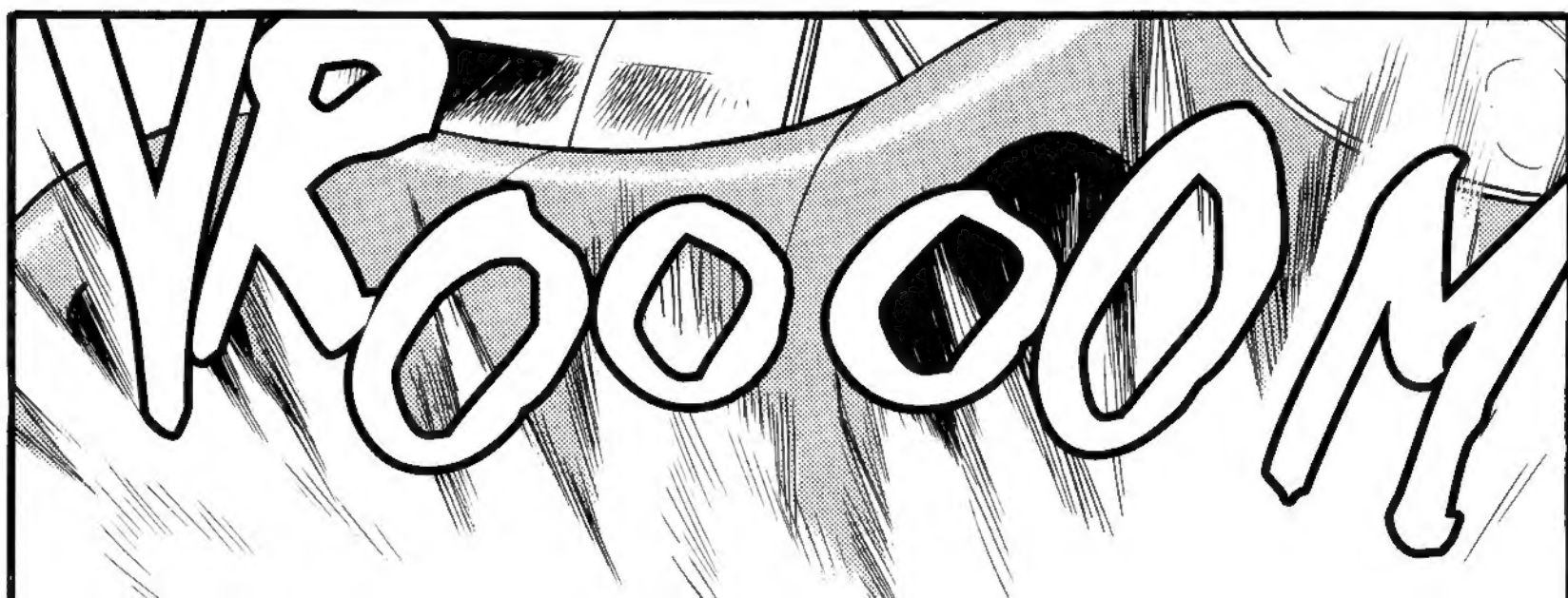
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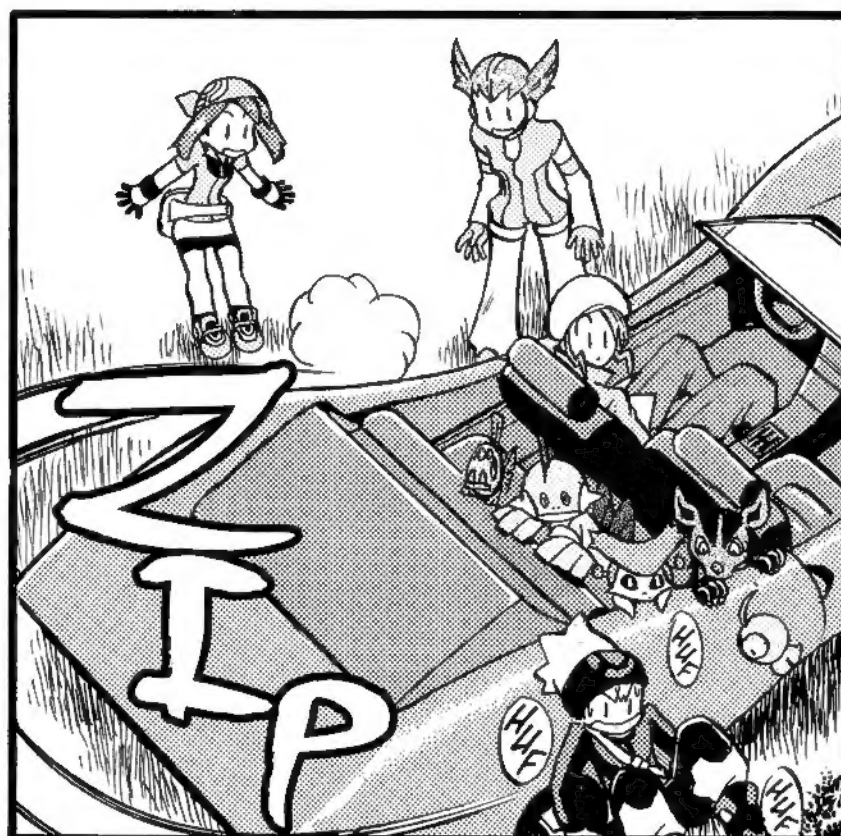
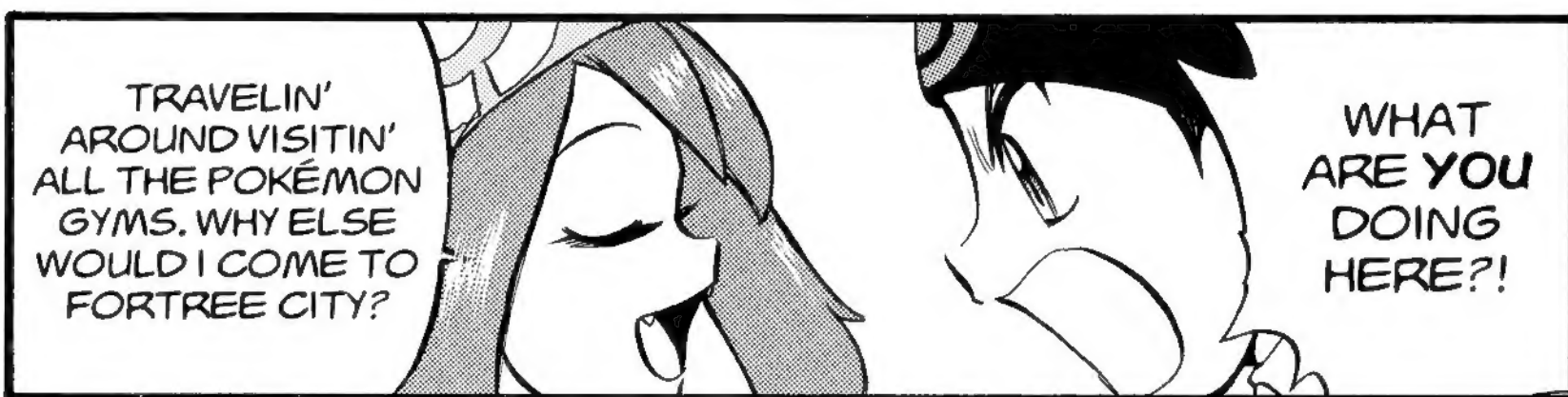
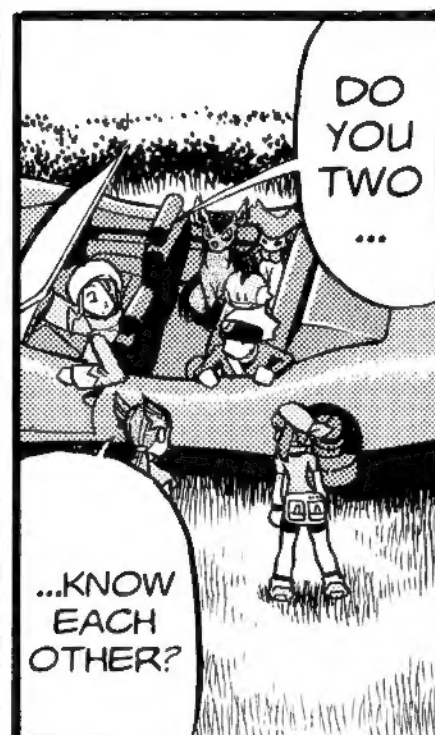
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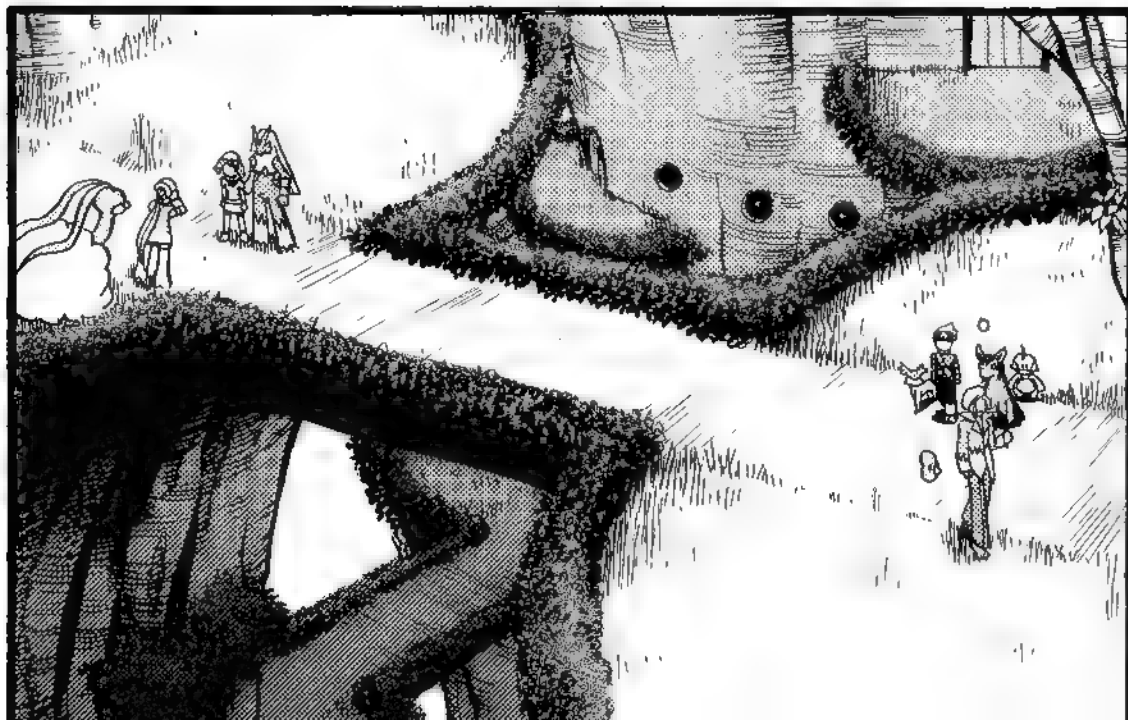
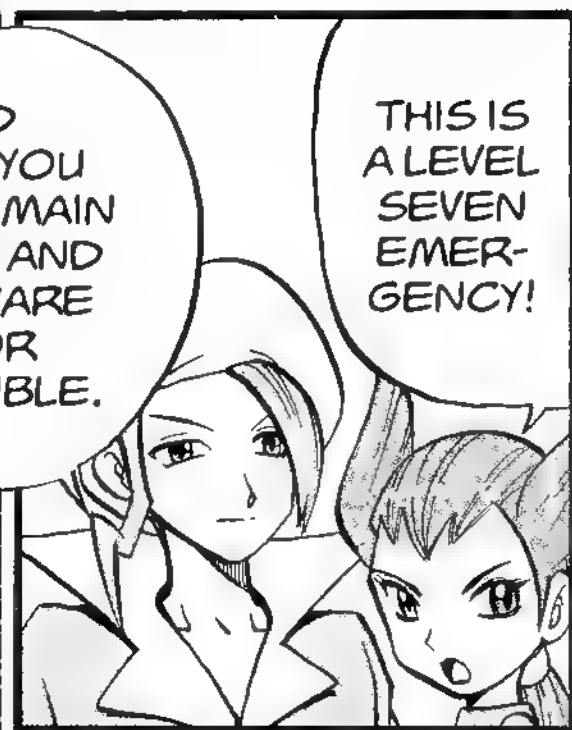
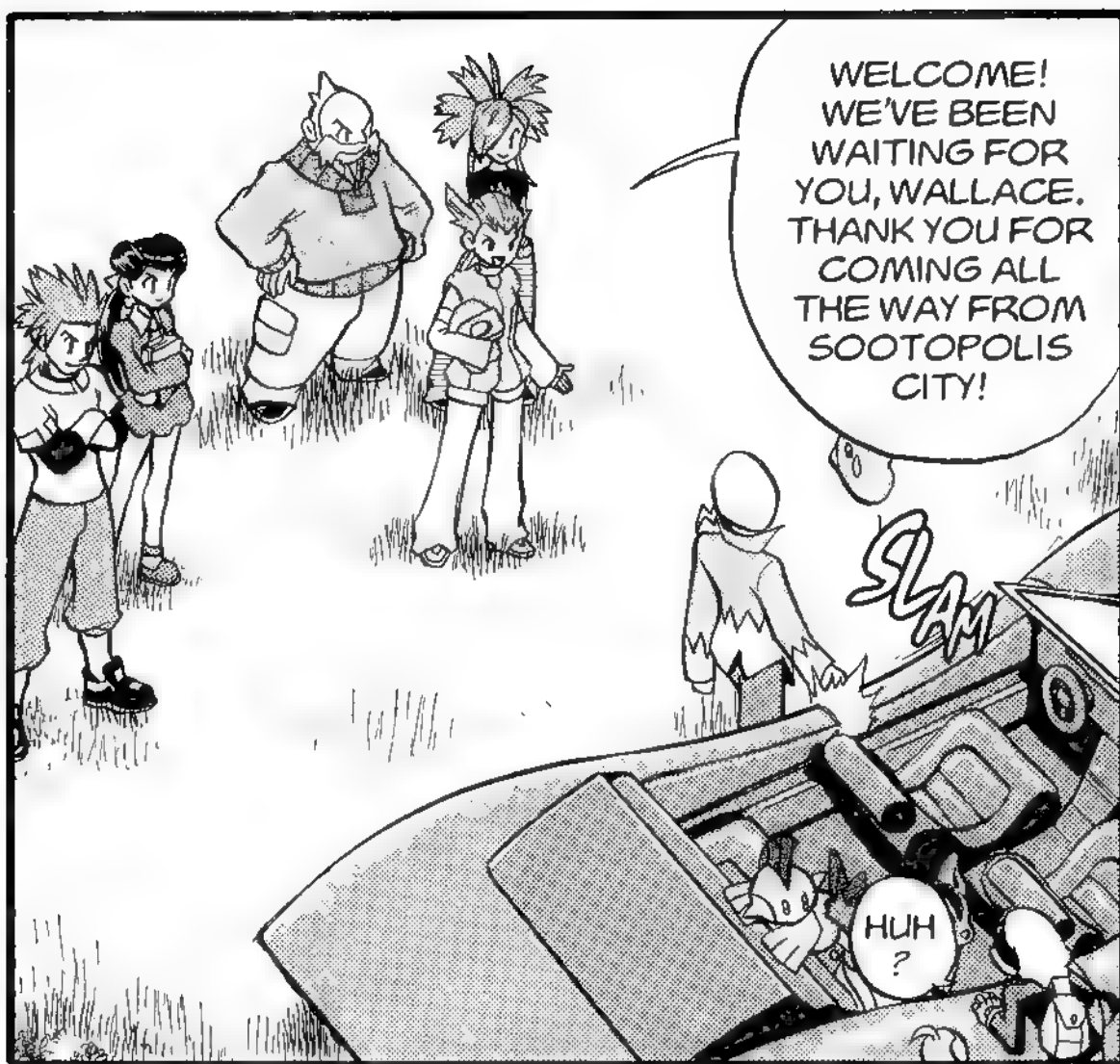
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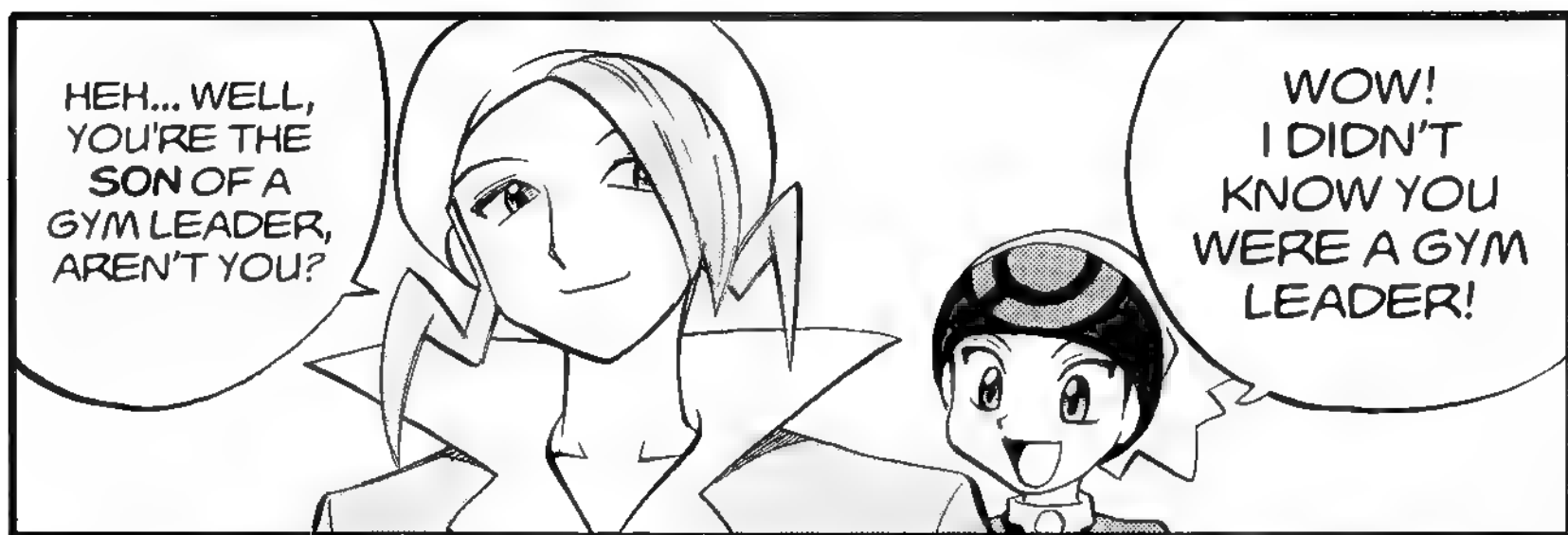


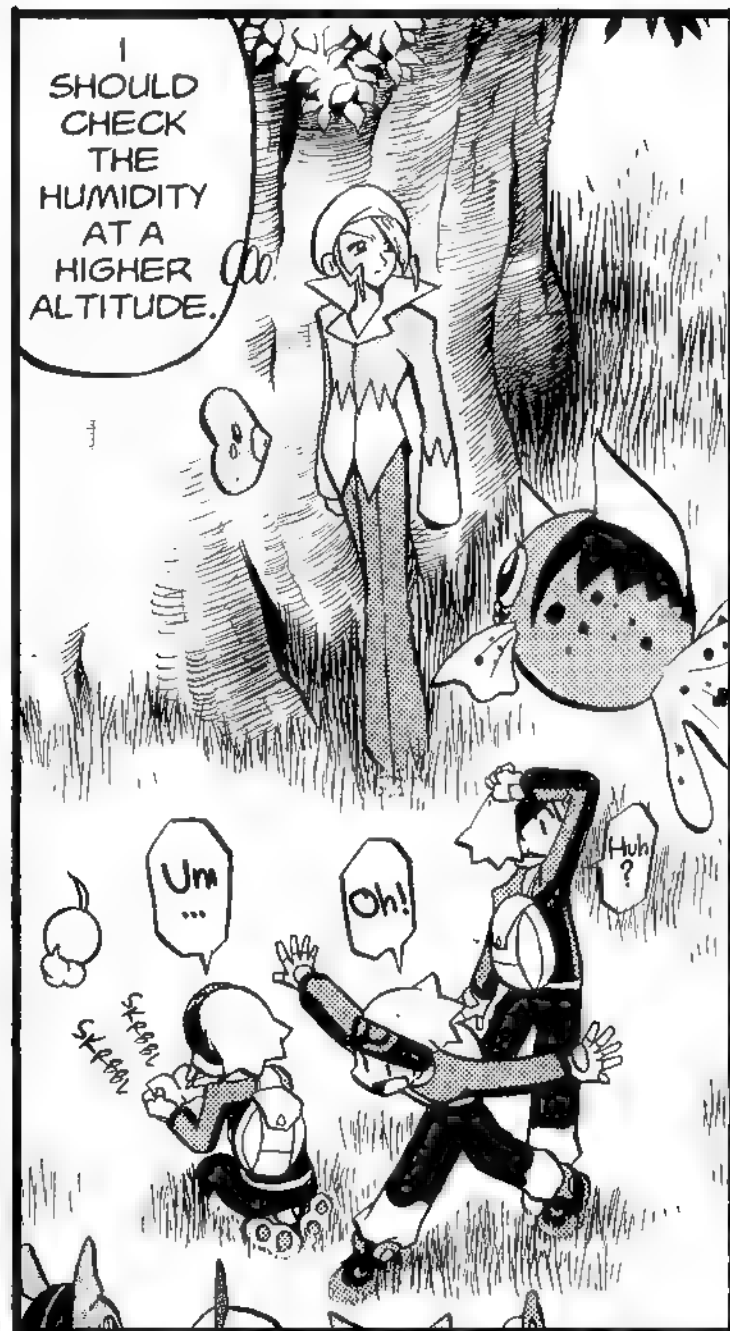
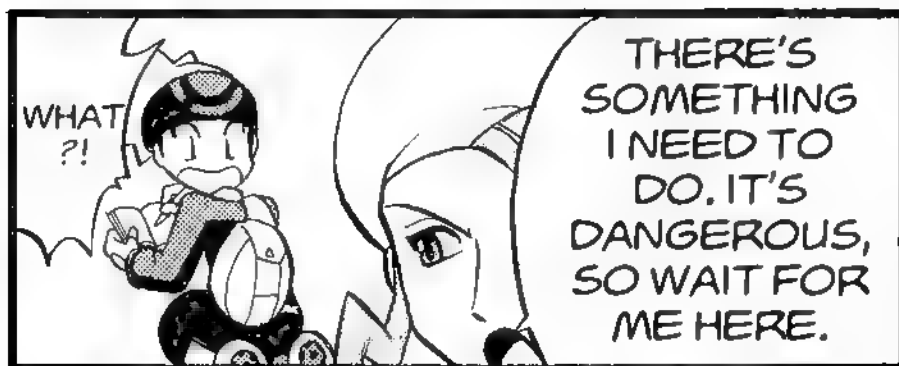
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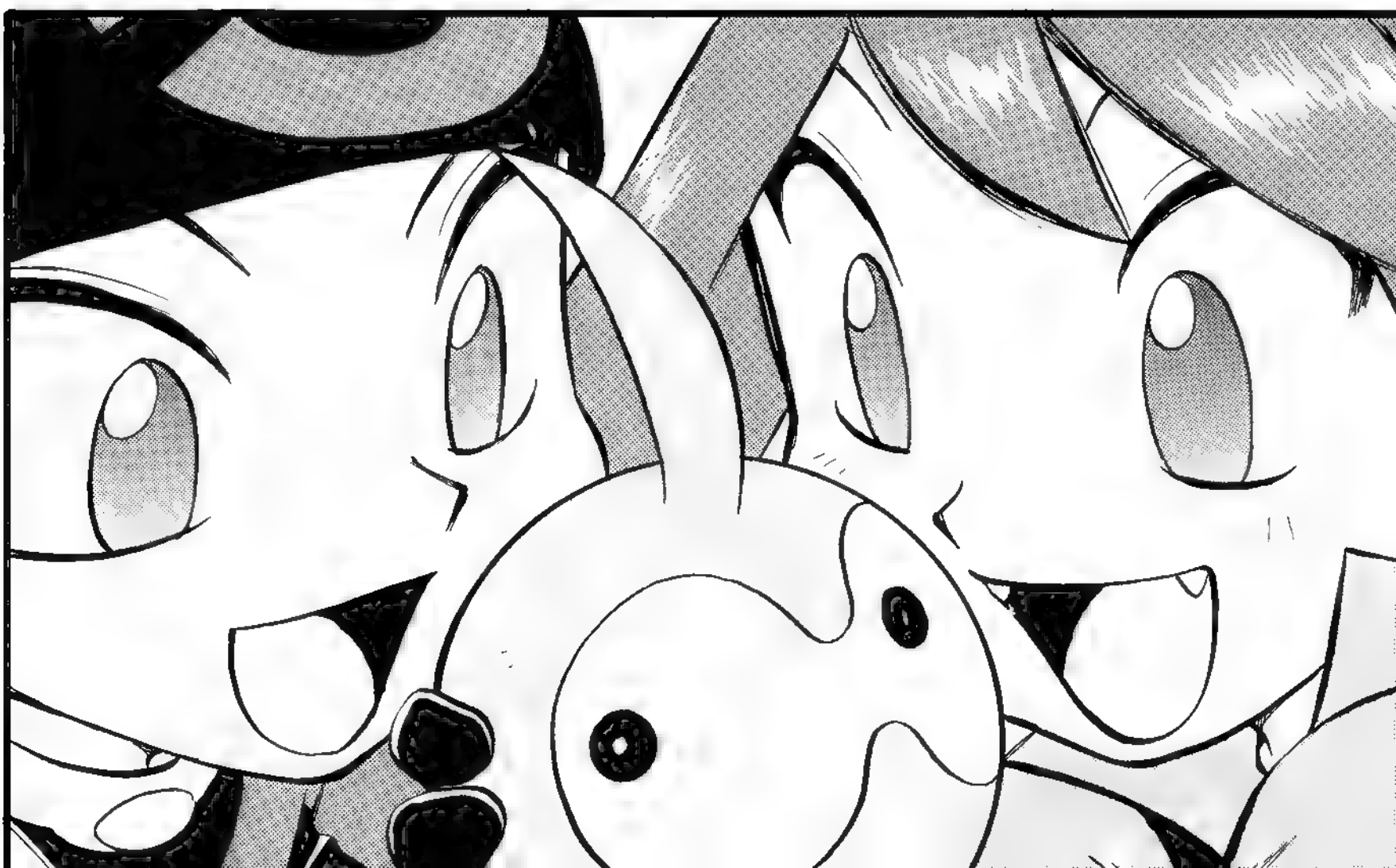
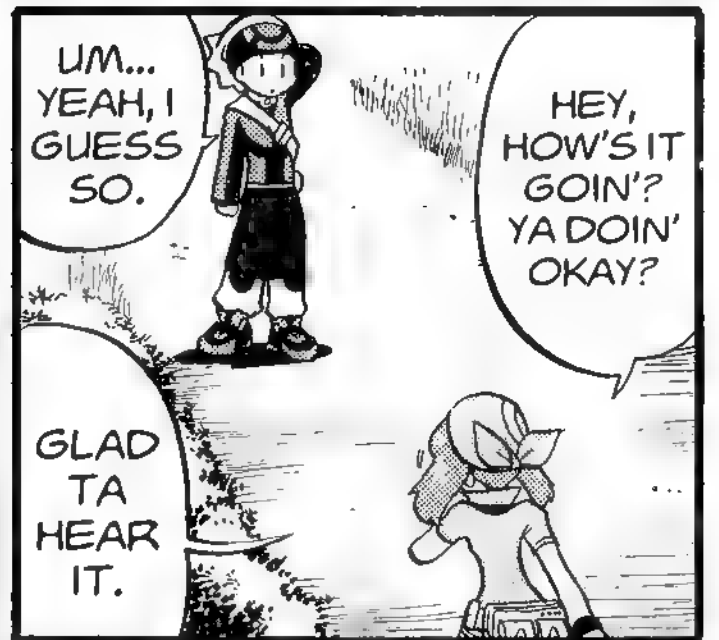
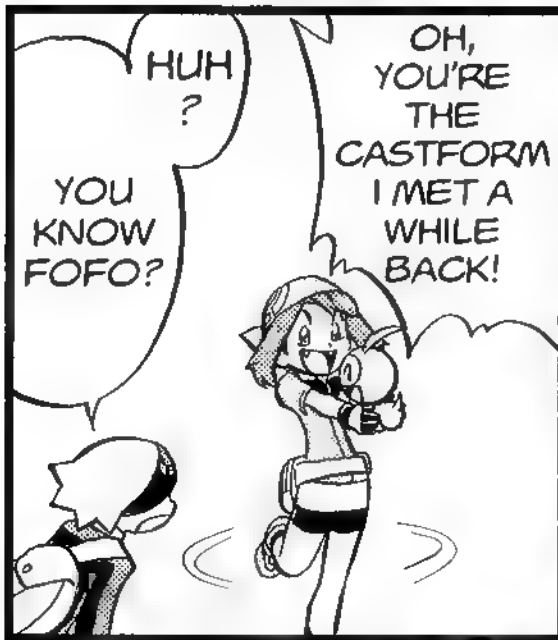


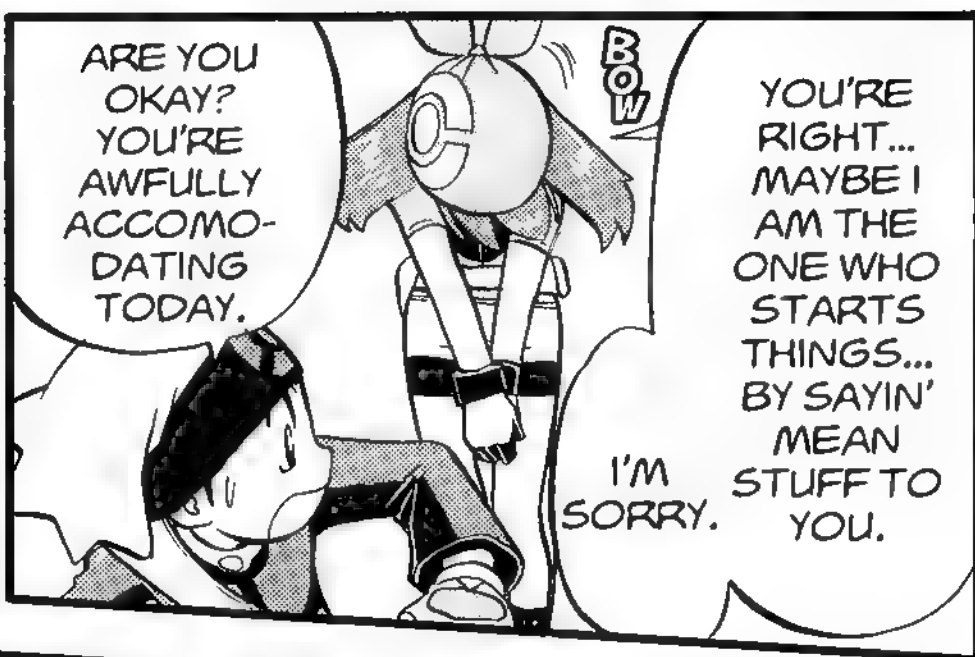


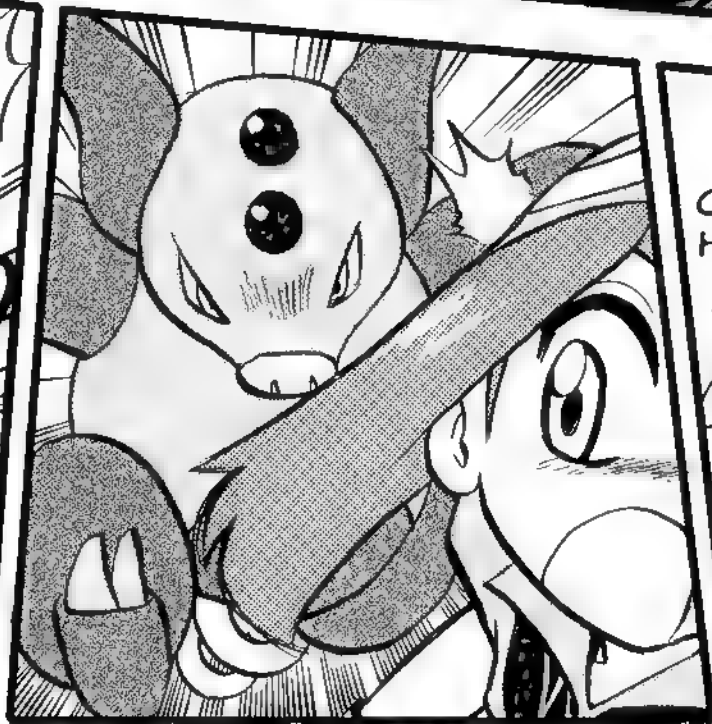




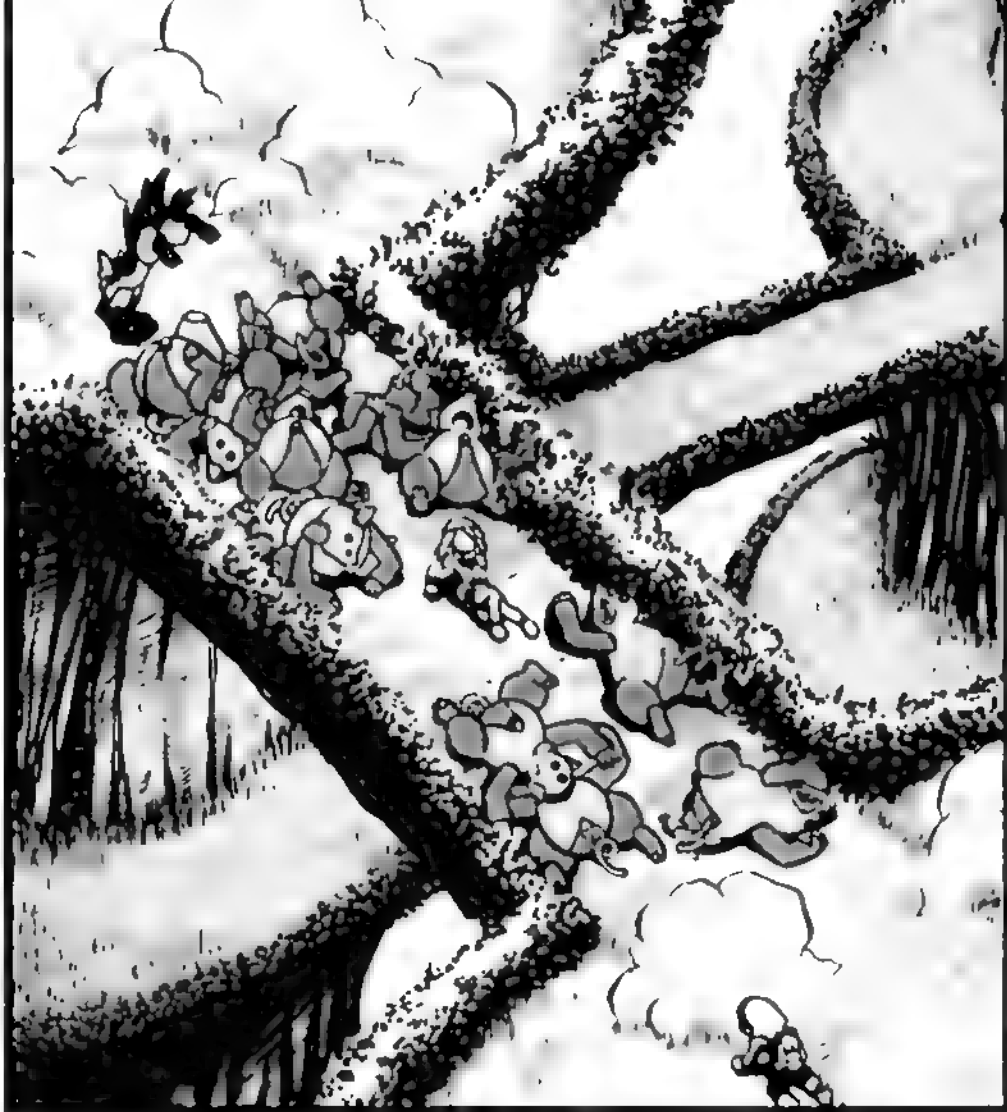




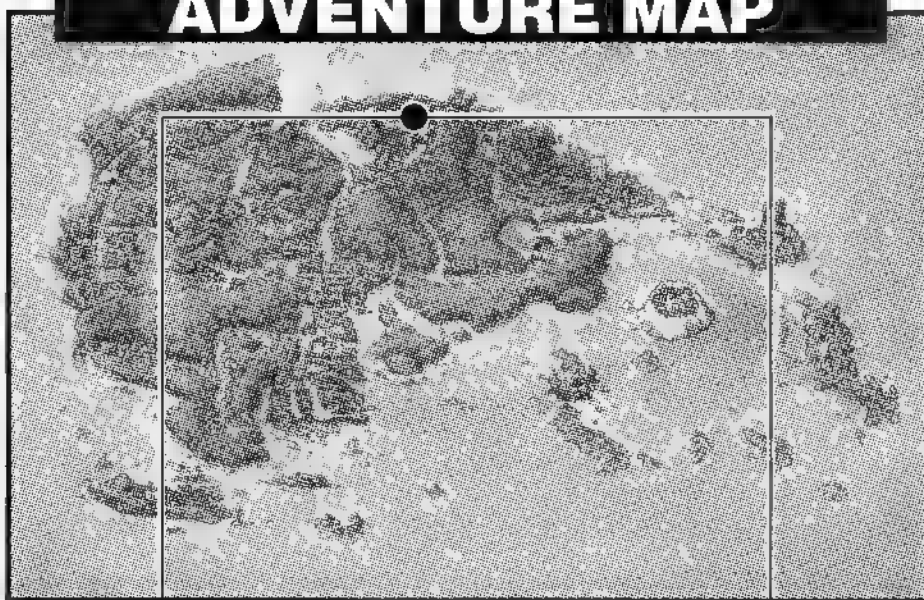








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SAPPHIRE



CHIC
Blaziken ♀

Lv37



RONO
Lairon ♂

Lv41



LORRY
Wailord ♂

Lv47



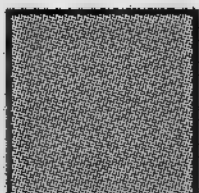
PHADO
Donphan ♂

Lv46

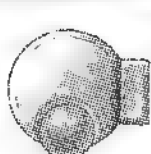
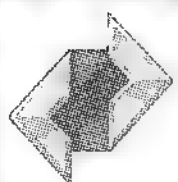


TROPPIY
Tropius ♂

Lv45



Stone Badge | Knuckle Badge | Dynamo Badge | Heat Badge



Balance Badge | Feather Badge | Mind Badge | Rain Badge



RUBY



MUMU
Marstomp ♂



NANA
Mightyena ♀



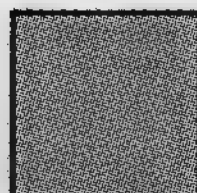
KIKI
Delcatty ♀



FEEFEE
Feebas ♀



FOFO
Castform ♀

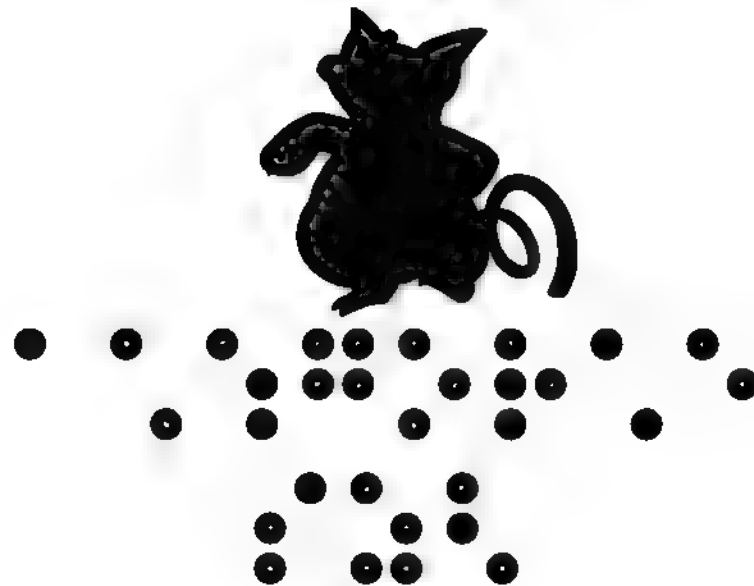


Cool | Beauty | Cute | Smart | Tough

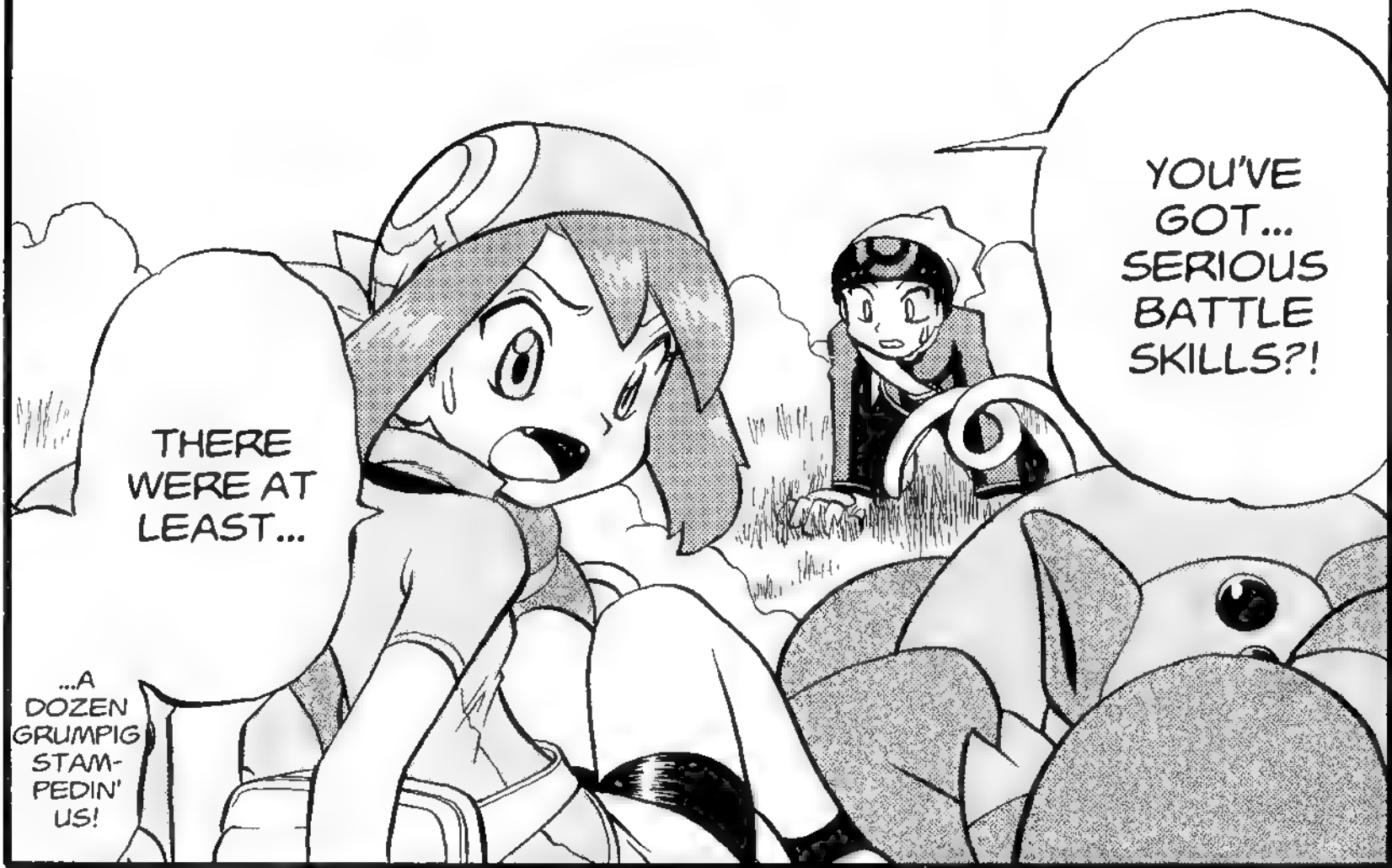
Normal					
Super					
Hyper					
Master					

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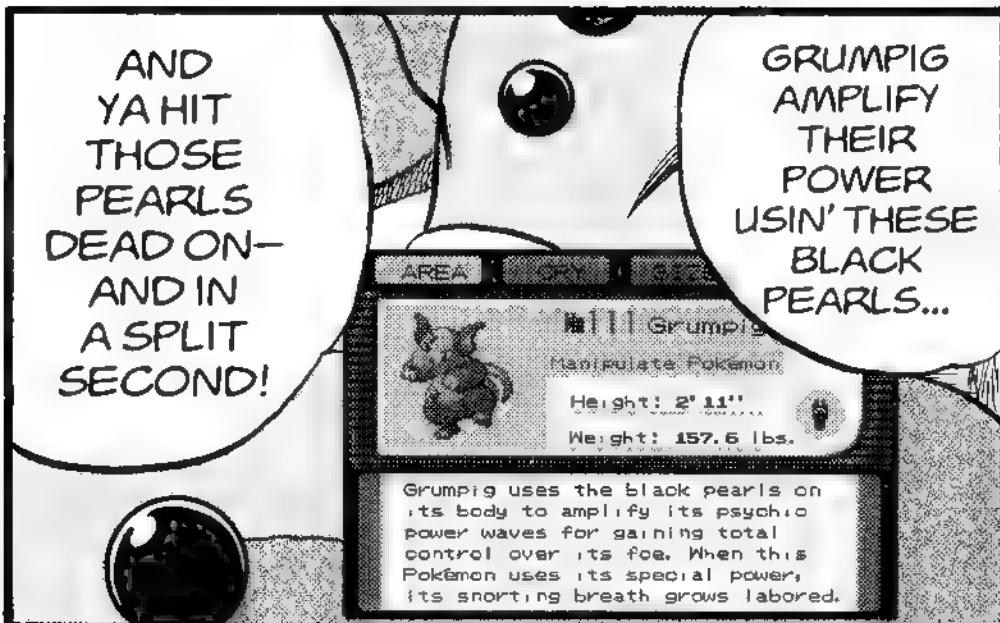
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THERE WERE AT LEAST...

YOU'VE GOT... SERIOUS BATTLE SKILLS?!

...A DOZEN GRUMPIG STAMPEDIN' US!



AND YA HIT THOSE PEARLS DEAD ON— AND IN A SPLIT SECOND!

GRUMPIG AMPLIFY THEIR POWER USIN' THESE BLACK PEARLS...



Grumpig
Manipulate Pokemon
Height: 2' 11"
Weight: 157.6 lbs.

Grumpig uses the black pearls on its body to amplify its psycho power waves for gaining total control over its foe. When this Pokemon uses its special power, its snorting breath grows labored.



AHA-HAHA... OH... UM... WELL...

IT LOOKED LIKE YOU WERE BLINDLY ATTACKING WITH TAKE DOWN... BUT YOU WEREN'T!!



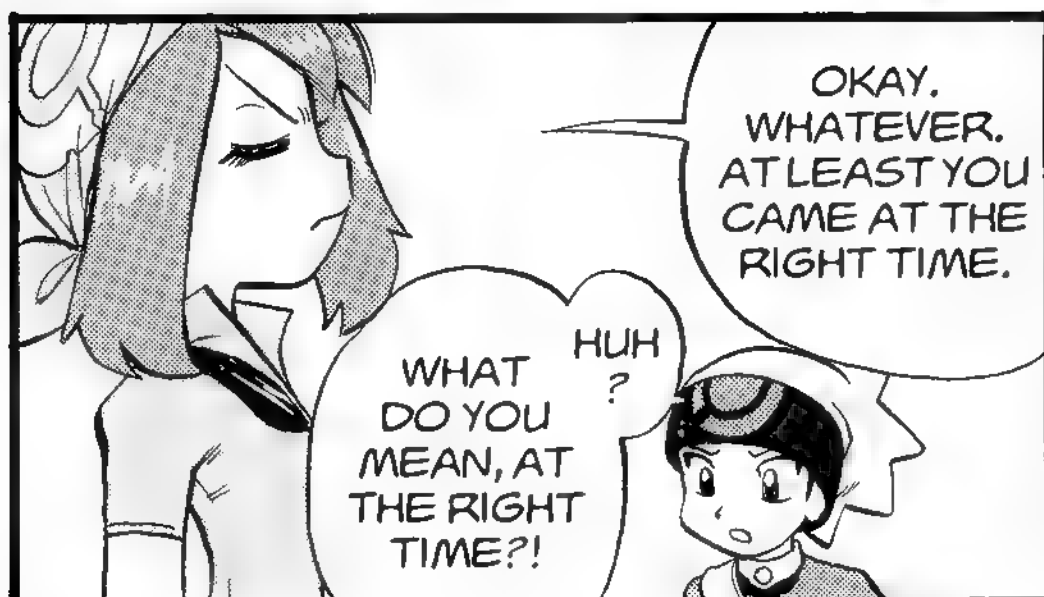
STRANGE, HUH? I GUESS NANA WAS REALLY TRYIN' HARD.

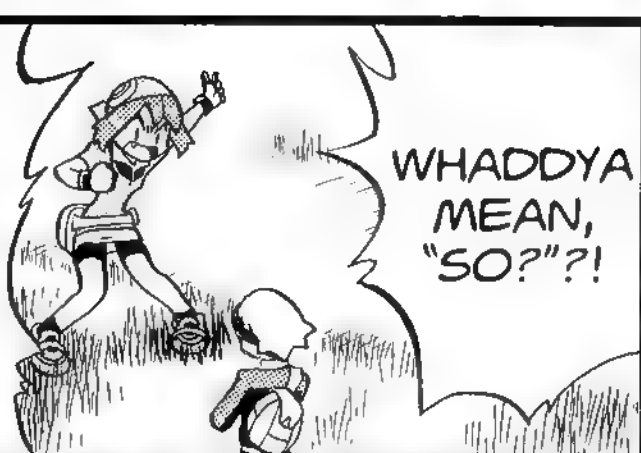
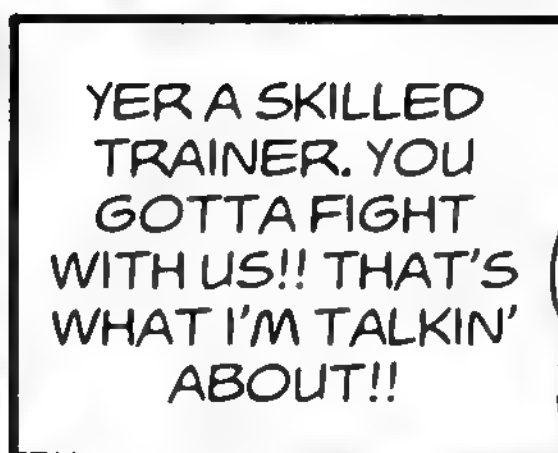
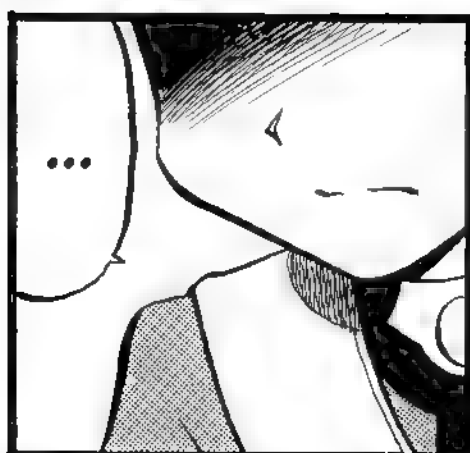
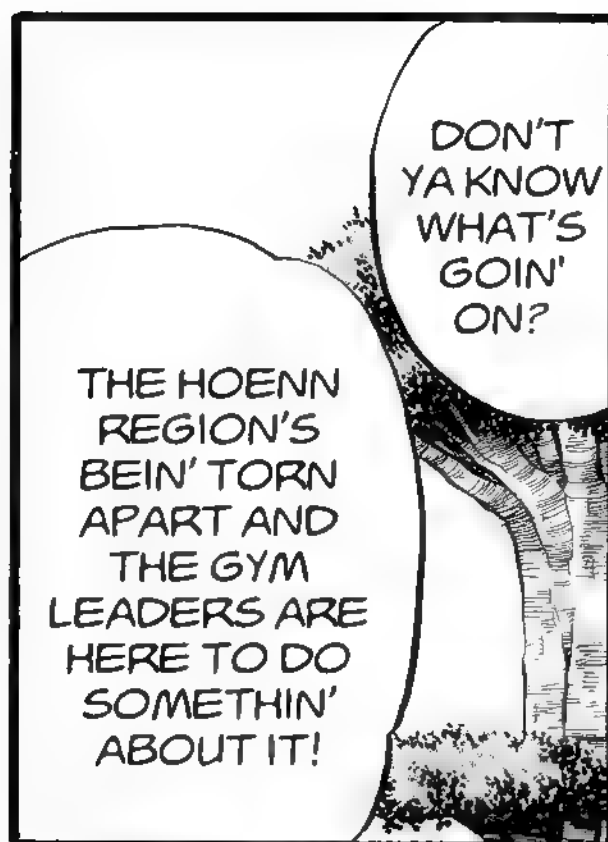
THAT AIN'T SOMETHIN' NO ORDINARY TRAINER COULD PULL OFF!

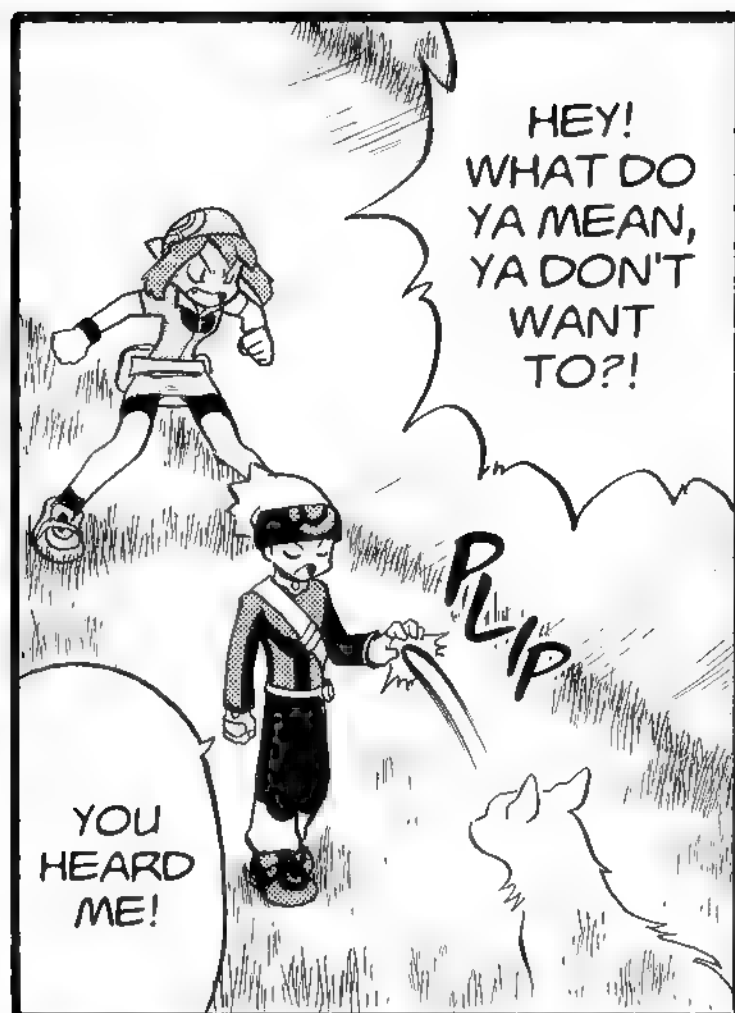
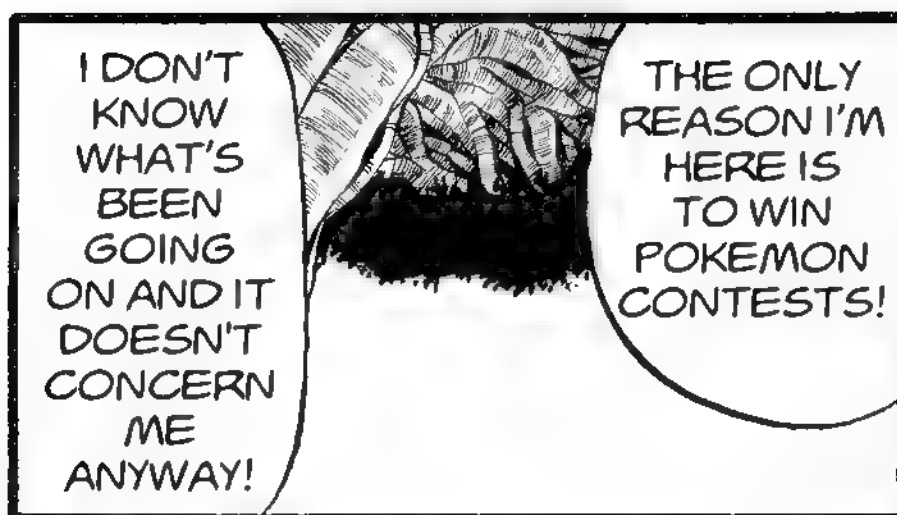


STOP PLAYIN' DUMB WITH ME!!











Wear them!!
They'll look
great on you

DO YA
REMEMBER
WHAT YOU
WROTE ON
THAT NOTE...

...YOU
LEFT
ME?

So, in gratitude
for saving me, I've
altered my own
clothes to fit you.

THAT'S WHY I
DECIDED TO
WEAR YOUR
CLOTHES,
EVEN THOUGH
I THOUGHT THEY
WERE TOO
FANCY FOR
ME.

THAT LAST
LINE MADE ME
SO HAPPY. NO
ONE EVER SAID
ANYTHIN' LIKE
THAT TO ME
BEFORE!

I
DON'T
WANNA
HEAR
IT!!

BUT
I-

YA
DON'T
EVEN
TRY TO
MAKE
GOOD
USE OF
IT.

...BUT
YOU'RE
WASTIN'
YOUR
TALENT!

YOU'RE
A REALLY
SKILLED
TRAINER...

BUT
...

...THERE'S
NO POINT
NOW!

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WHY
DO YOU
THINK WE
TRAIN?!

IT'S
SO WE
CAN HELP
OTHERS,
AIN'T IT?!

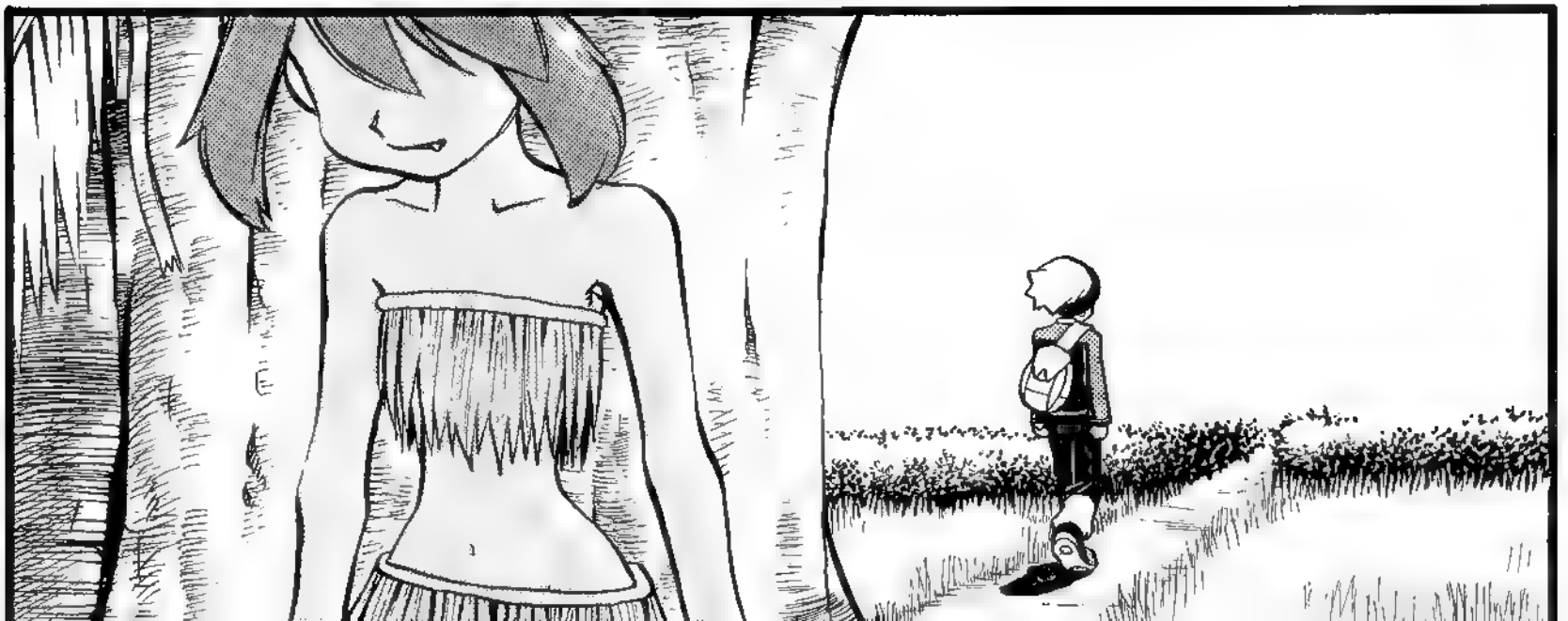


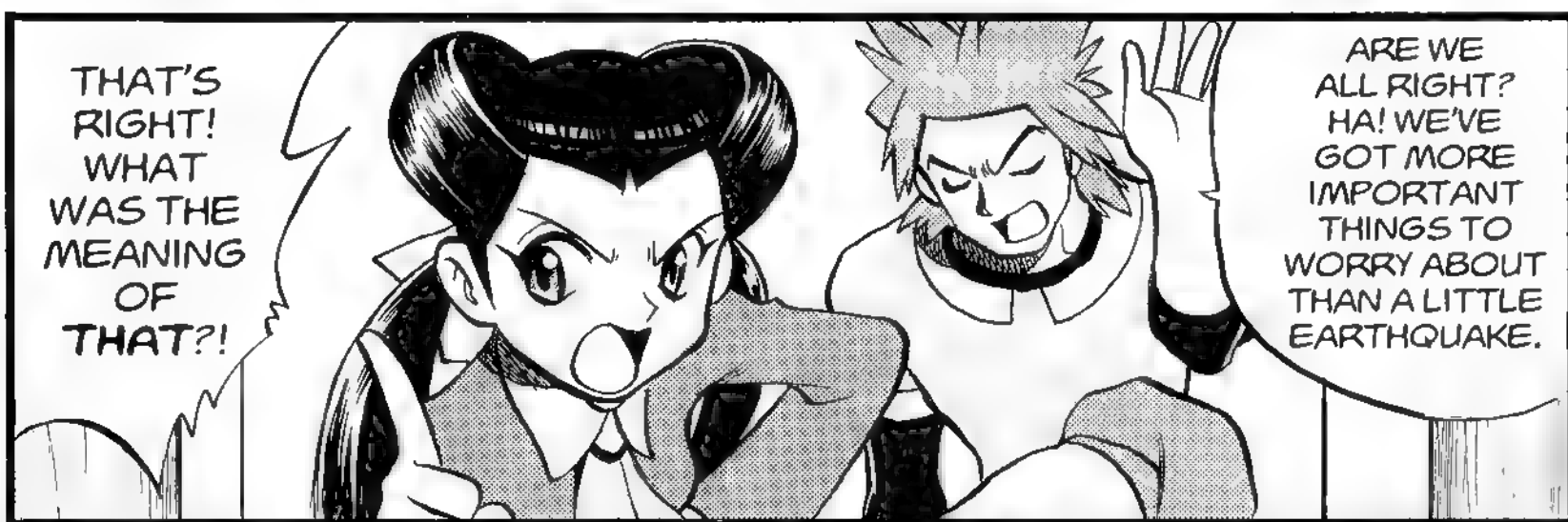
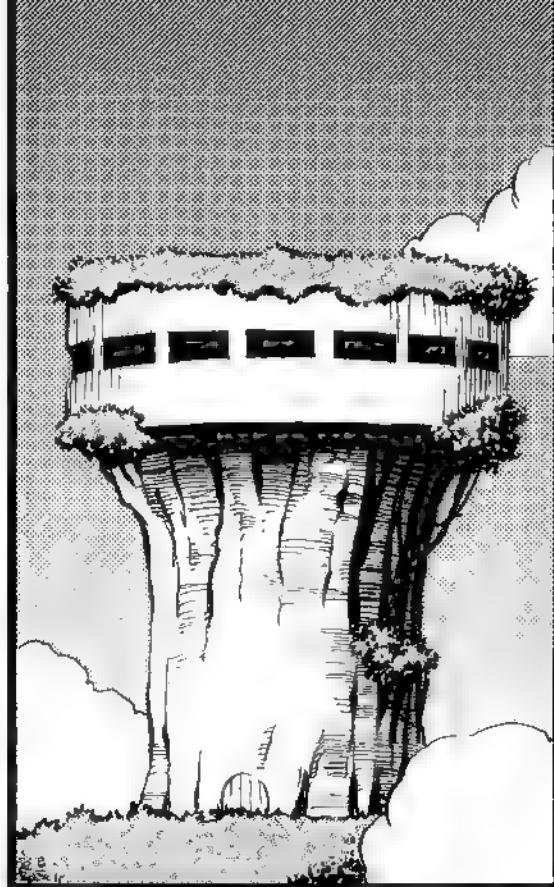
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DON'T YOU
EVER SHOW
YER FACE
AROUND ME
AGAIN!!



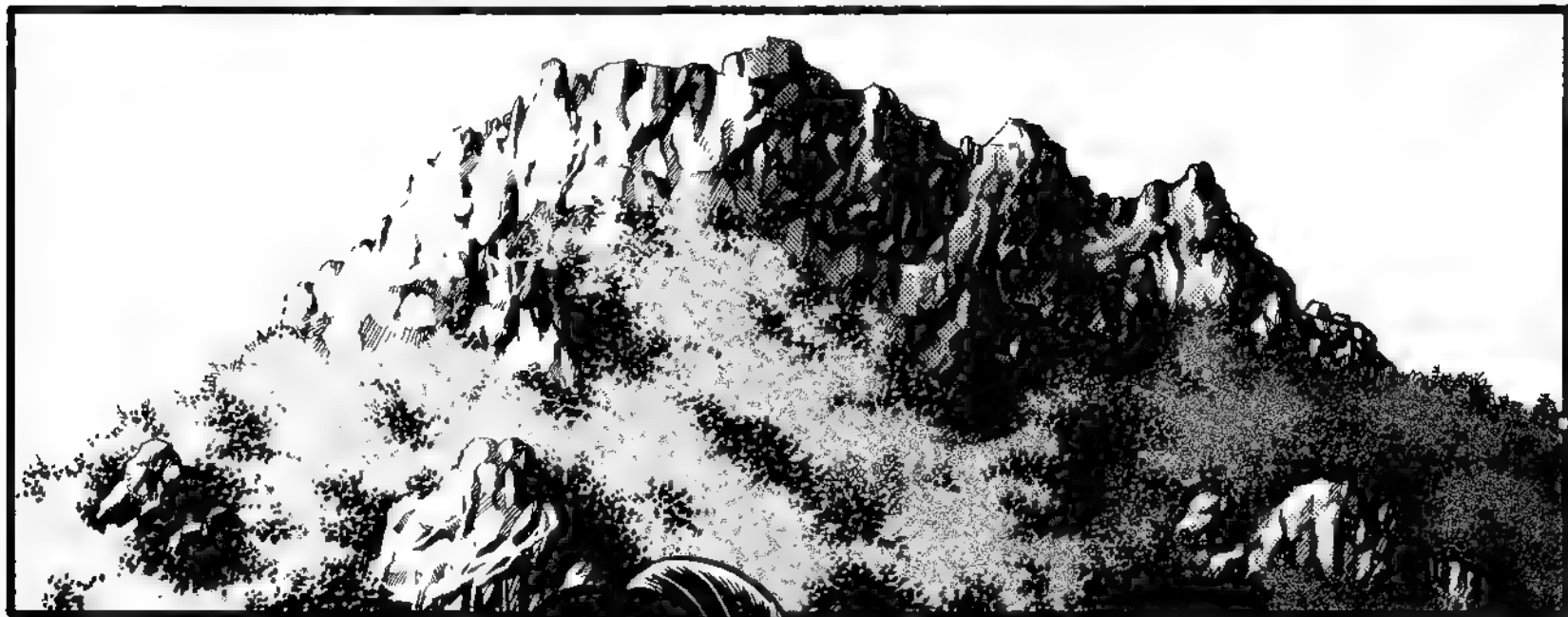
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WHERE
ARE THEY,
ANYWAY...?

TATE
AND
LIZA...





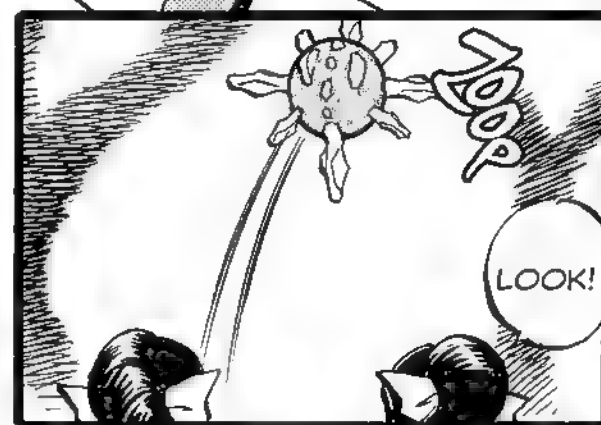
I AM. NO
DOUBT
ABOUT IT,
TATE.

ARE YOU
SURE ABOUT
THIS, LIZA?

MOUNT
PYRE...



SOLROCK
HAS
SENSED...

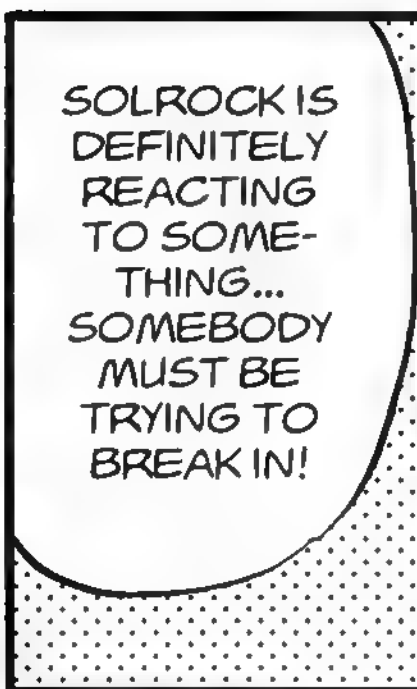


LOOK!

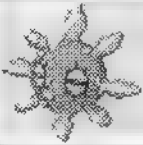


RIGHT!
TIME FOR
US TO
FINISH
THIS JOB
THEN!

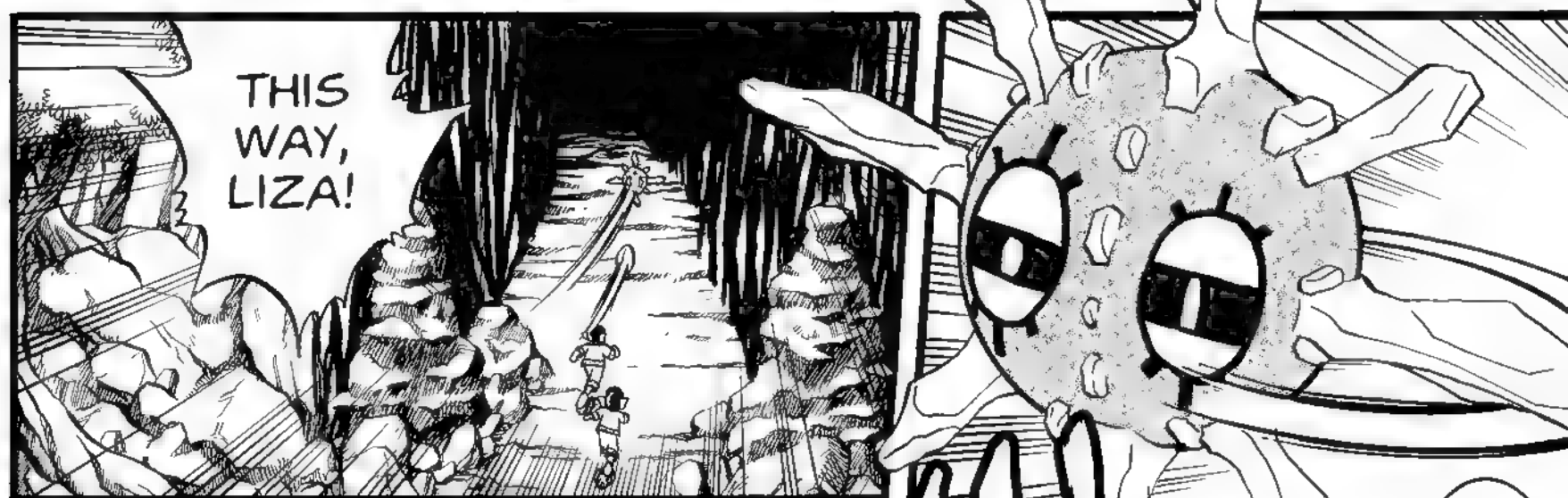
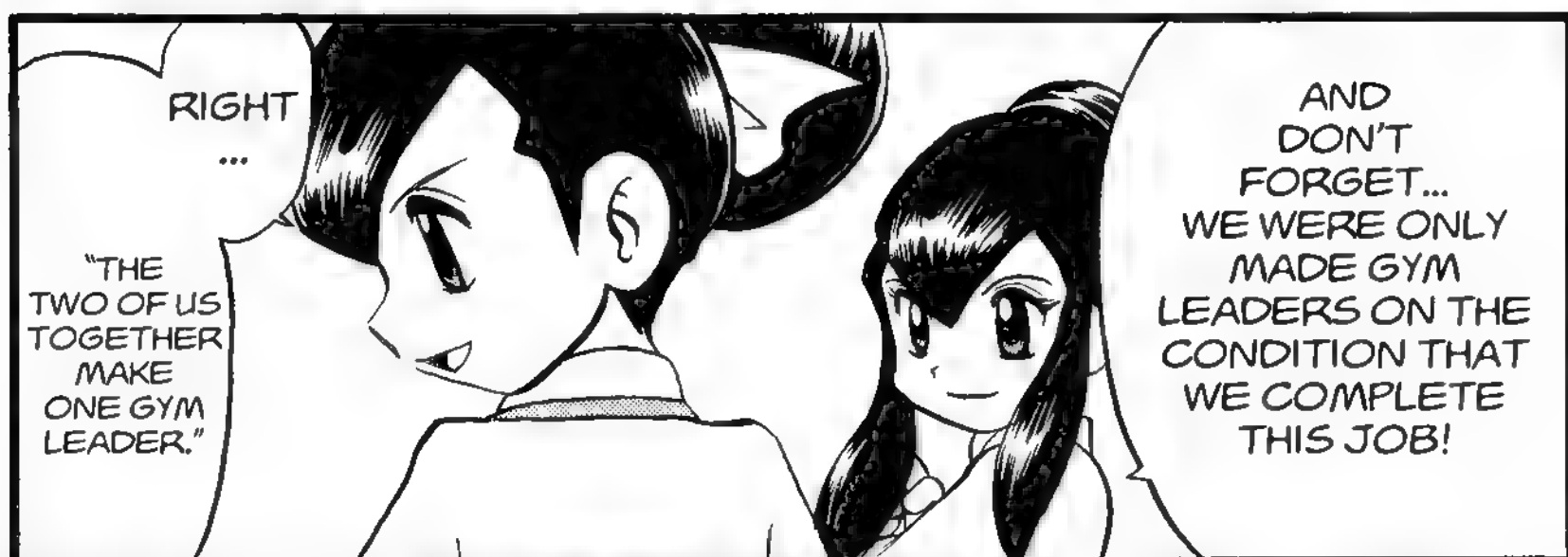
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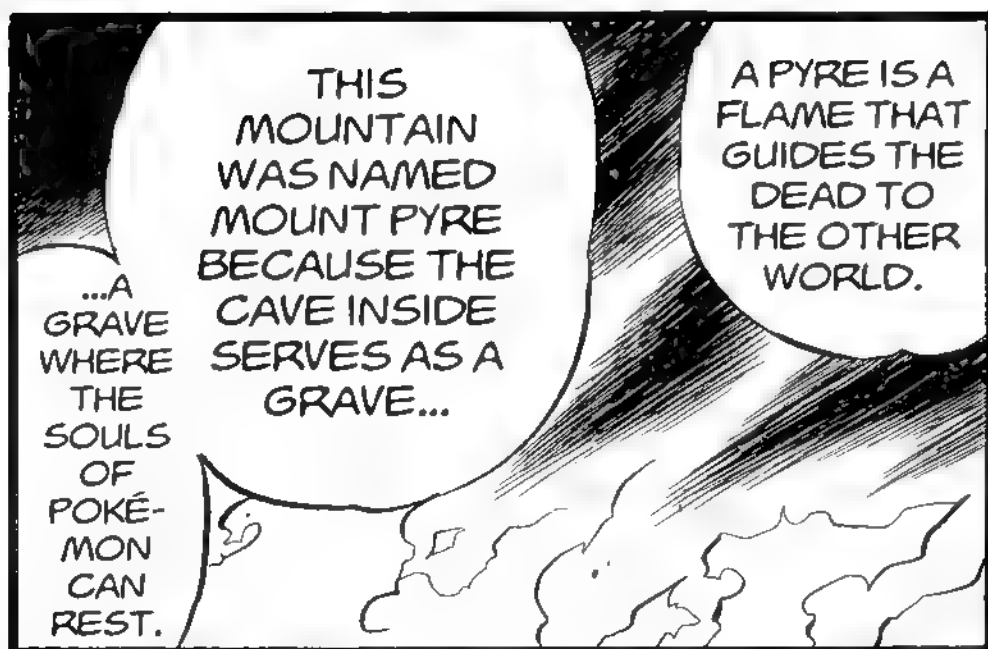


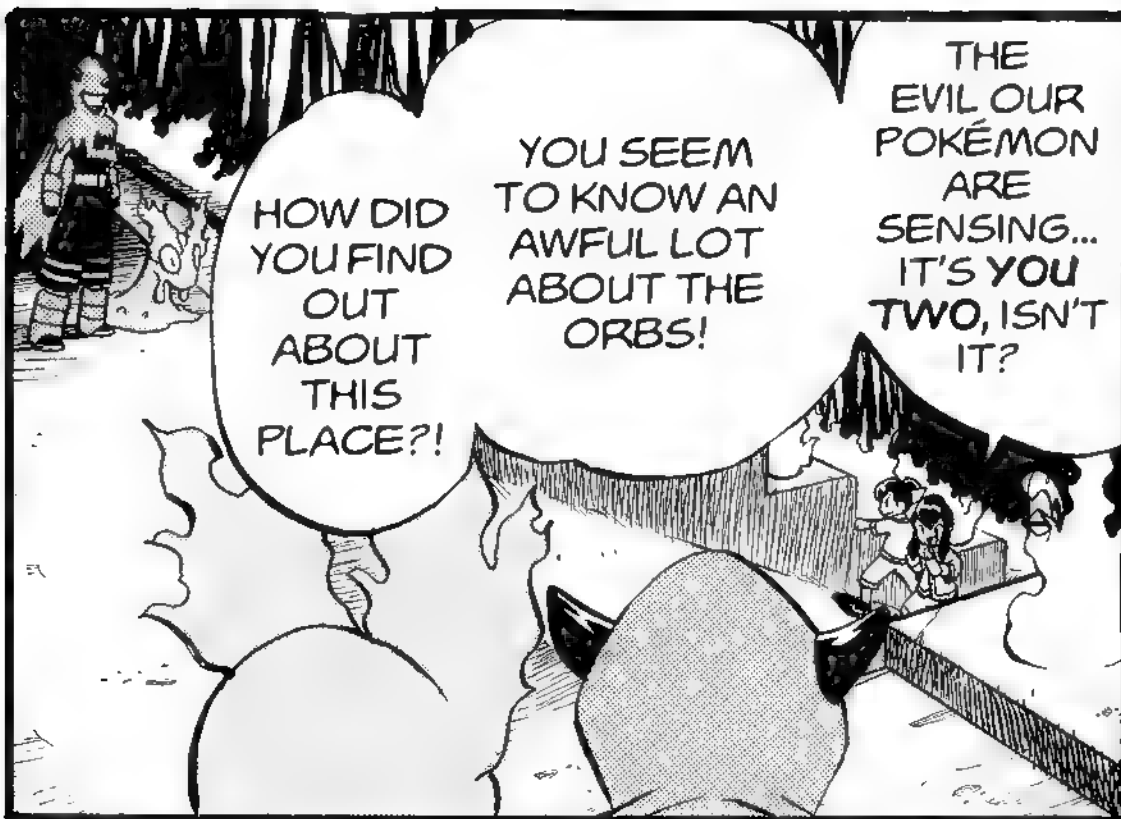
SOLROCK IS
DEFINITELY
REACTING
TO SOME-
THING...
SOMEBODY
MUST BE
TRYING TO
BREAK IN!

AREA	CRY	SIZE	CANCEL
			
#126 Solrock			
Meteorite Pokémon			
Height: 3' 11"			
Weight: 339.5 lbs.			
Sunlight is the source of Solrock's power. It is said to possess the ability to read the emotions of others. This Pokémon gives off intense heat while rotating its body.			

...WHAT-
EVER
EVIL IS
CLOSING
IN...









THIS'LL
BE A
PIECE
OF
CAKE!!

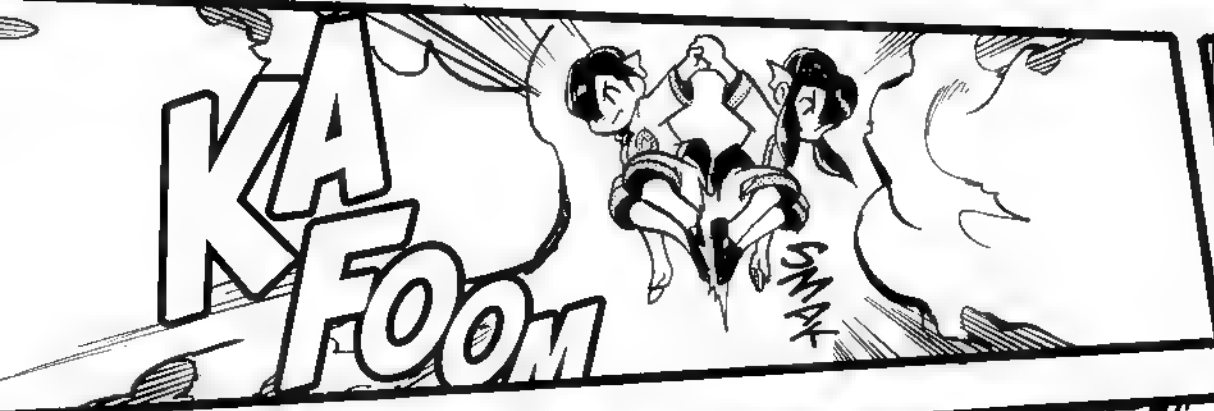
POOSH



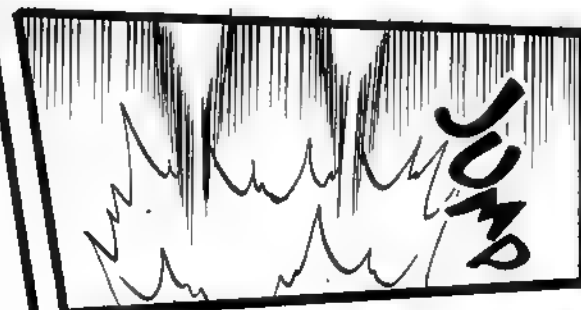
HOW
CUTE...

...TWO
LITTLE
KIDS.

GR/A



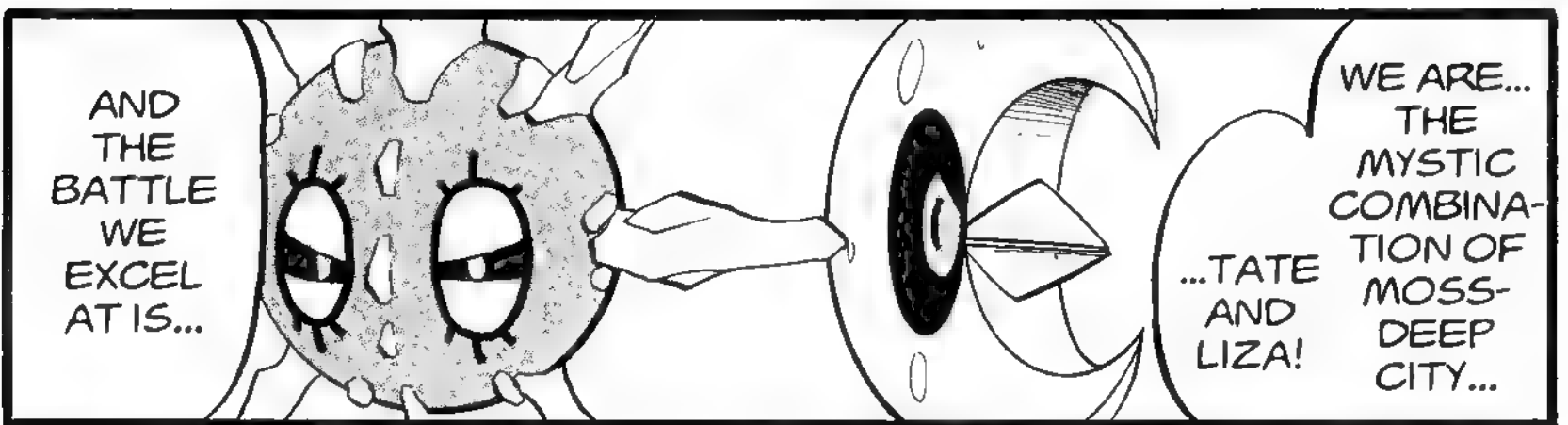
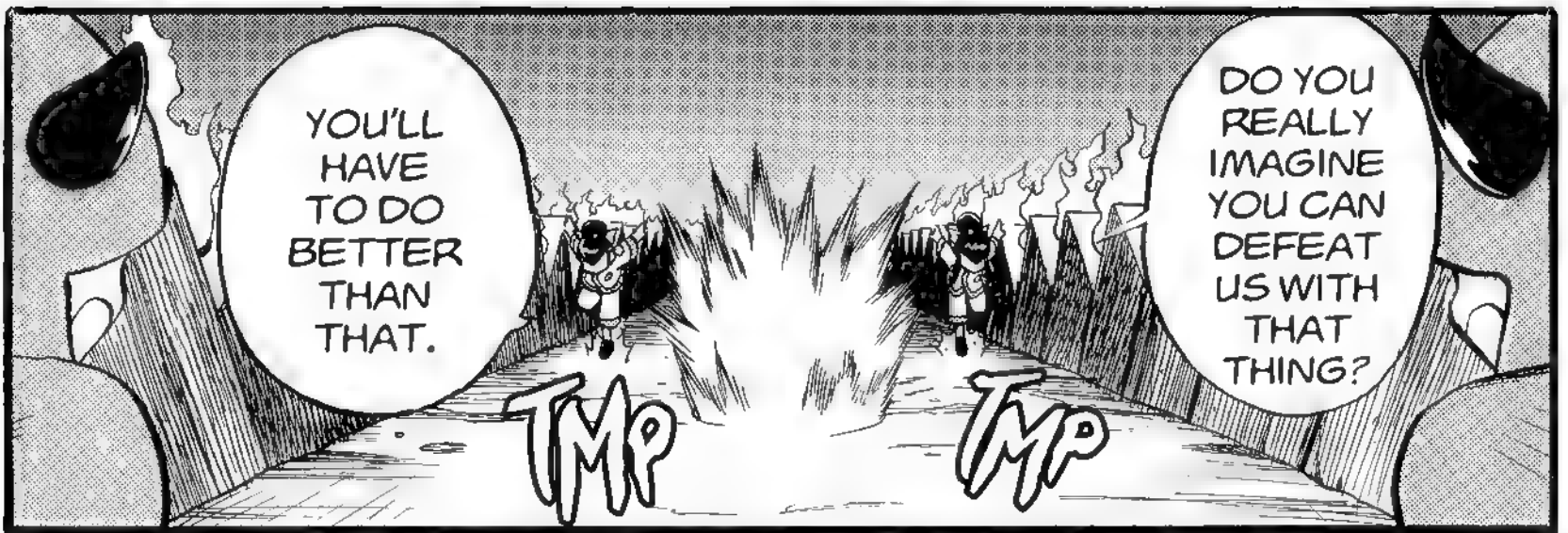
KA
FOOM



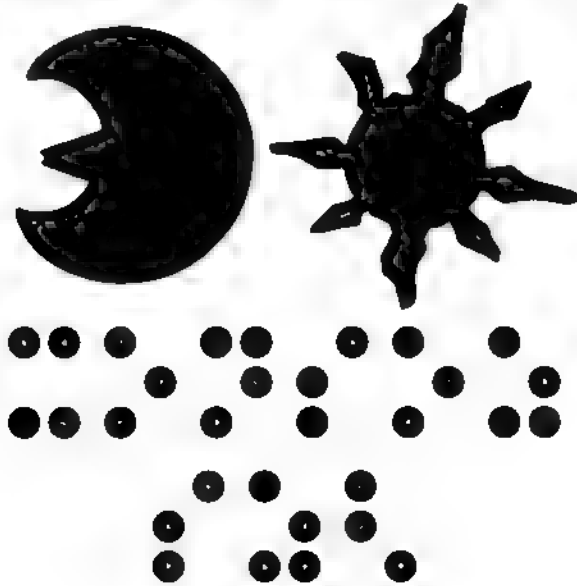
BOOM



BOOM



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**You Can Fight Day or Night with
Lunatone & Solrock**



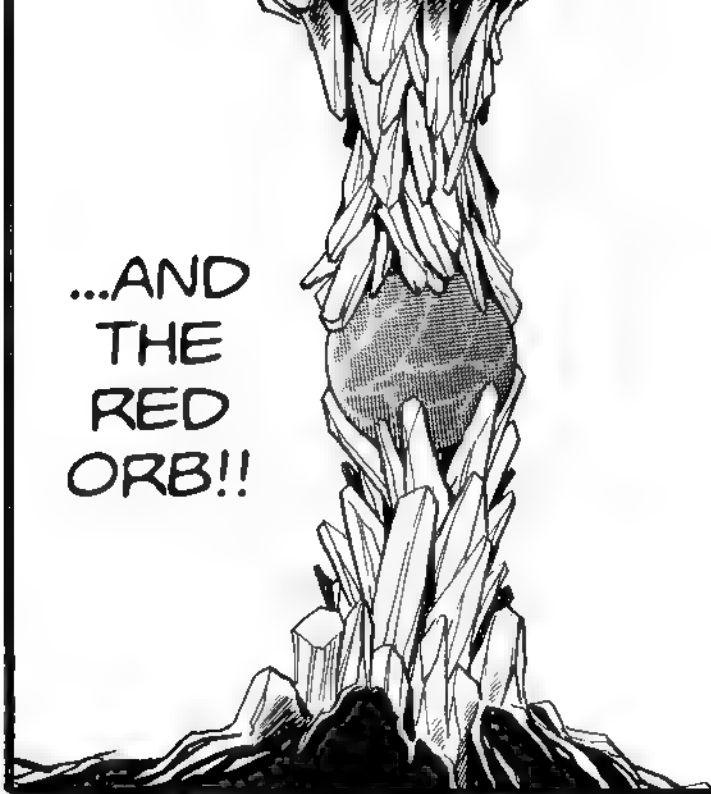
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KYOGRE
AND
GROUDON!!

IN
ANCIENT TIMES,
TWO POKÉMON
FOUGHT AN
ENDLESS BATTLE
WHICH BECAME
LEGEND.

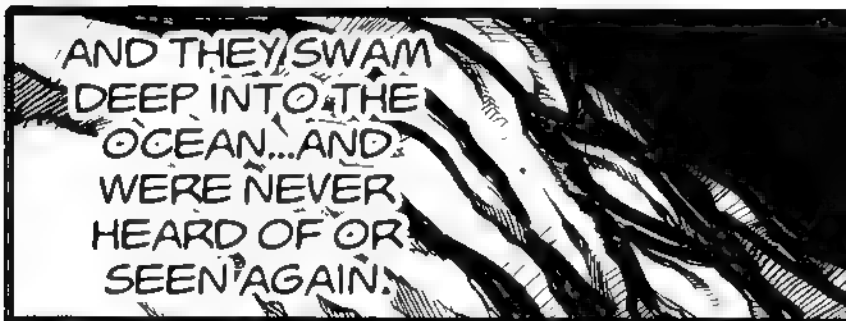
BUT IT WAS THE
PRESENCE OF TWO
SPECIAL ORBS THAT
BROUGHT THEIR
BATTLE TO AN END...



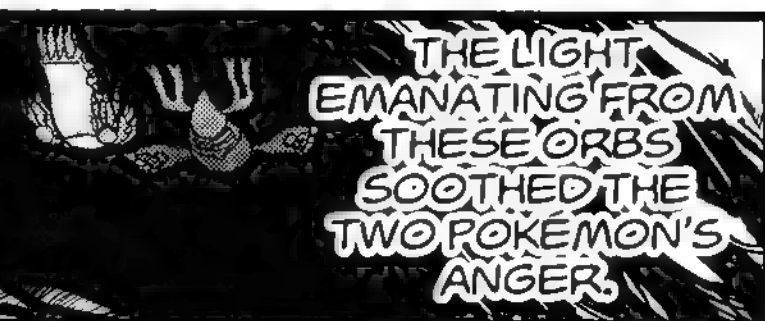
...AND
THE
RED
ORB!!



THE
BLUE
ORB...



AND THEY SWAM
DEEP INTO THE
OCEAN... AND
WERE NEVER
HEARD OF OR
SEEN AGAIN.



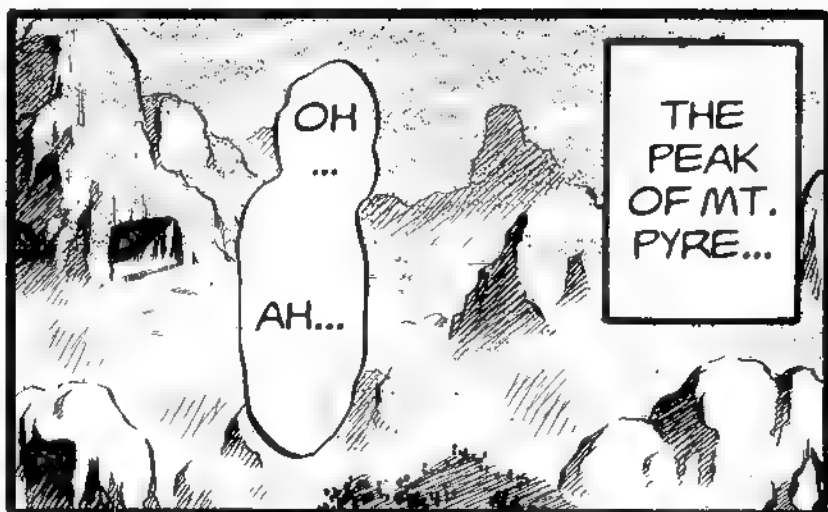
THE LIGHT
EMANATING FROM
THESE ORBS
SOOTHED THE
TWO POKEMON'S
ANGER.



OH
MY...

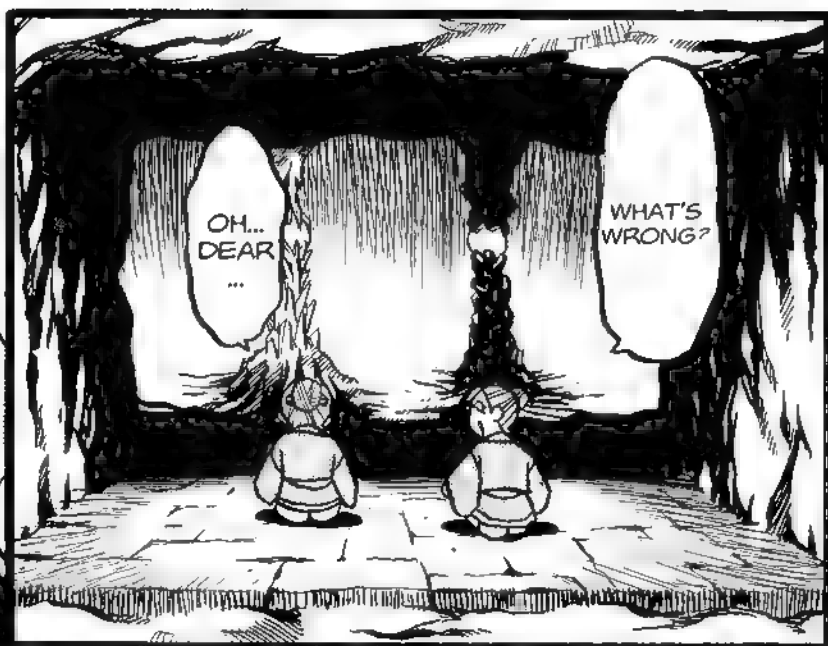
AND
TATE AND
LIZA ARE
FIGHTING
THEM
NOW.

WE
HAVE AN
INTRUDER.



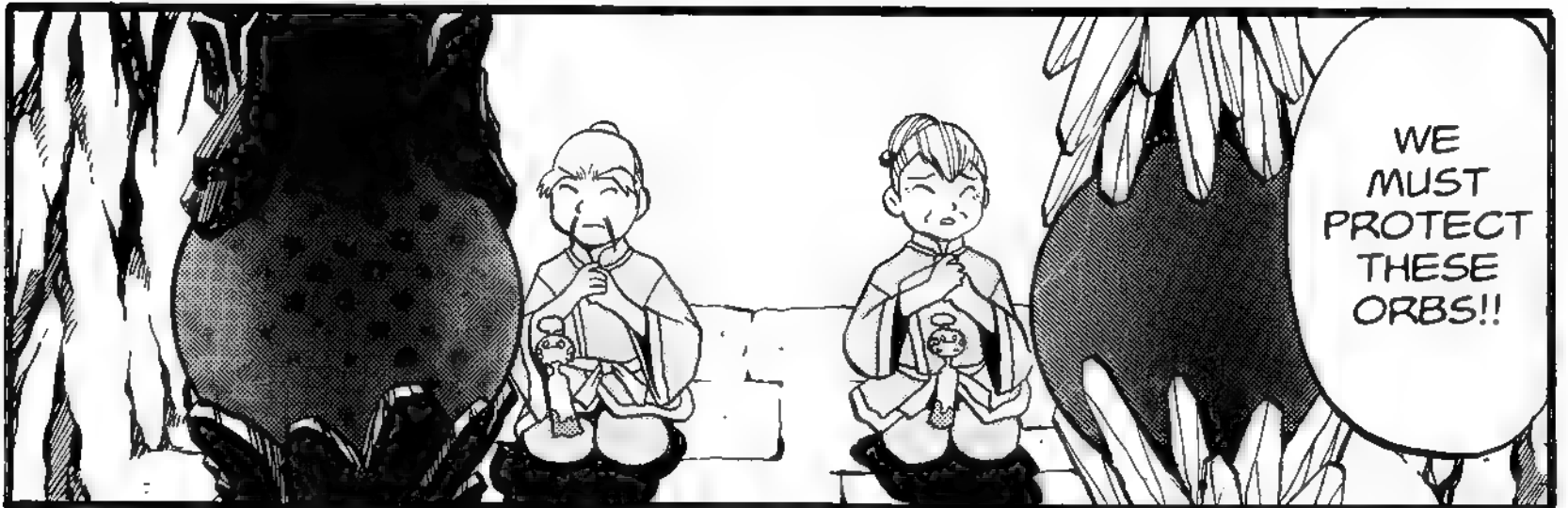
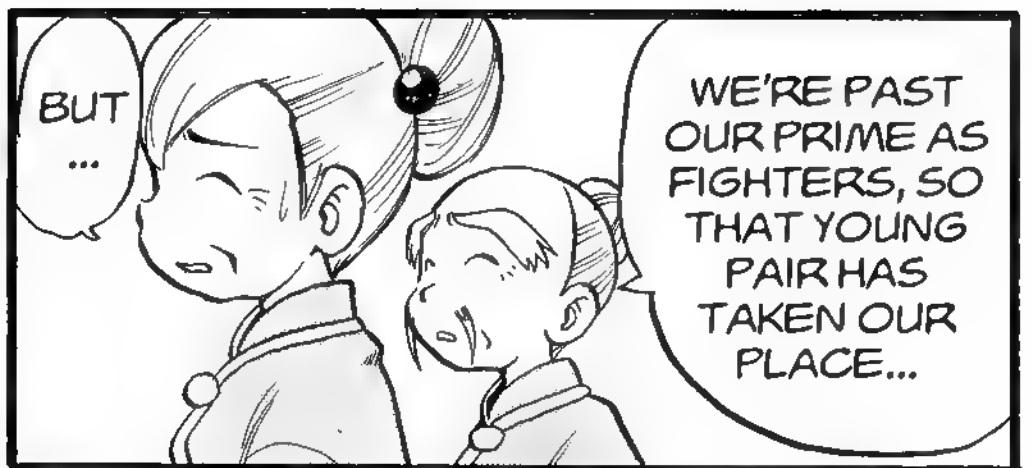
OH
...
AH...

THE
PEAK
OF MT.
PYRE...



OH...
DEAR
...

WHAT'S
WRONG?





IT'S NO USE!
COSMIC POWER
IS A PSYCHIC-
TYPE MOVE
THAT BOOSTS
THEIR SPECIAL
DEFENSE!!



LUNA-
TONE,
ROCK
SLIDE!!

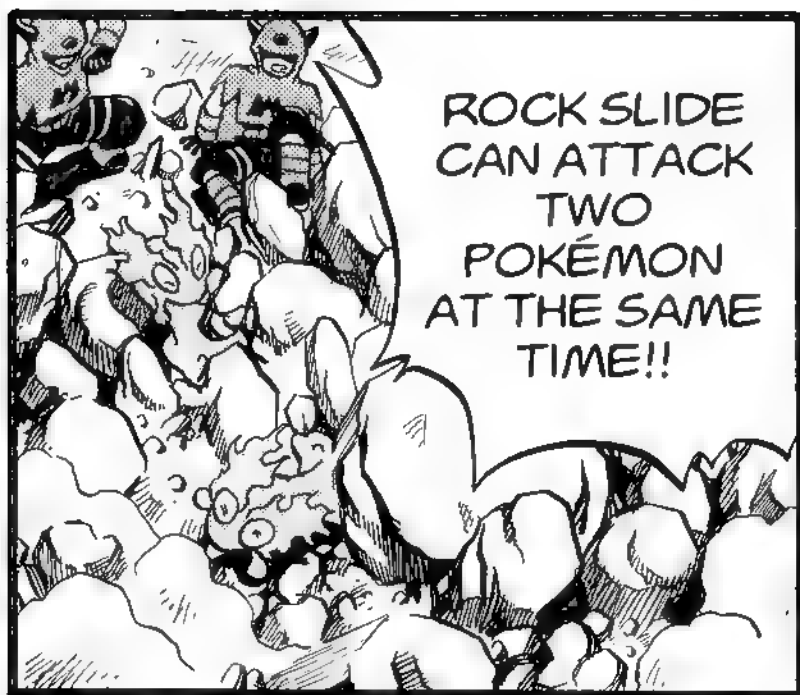
LUNATONE
AND SOLROCK ARE
BOTH ROCK-TYPE
POKÉMON, SO
WE'VE HAD THE
ADVANTAGE
AGAINST YOU
FROM THE
START!!



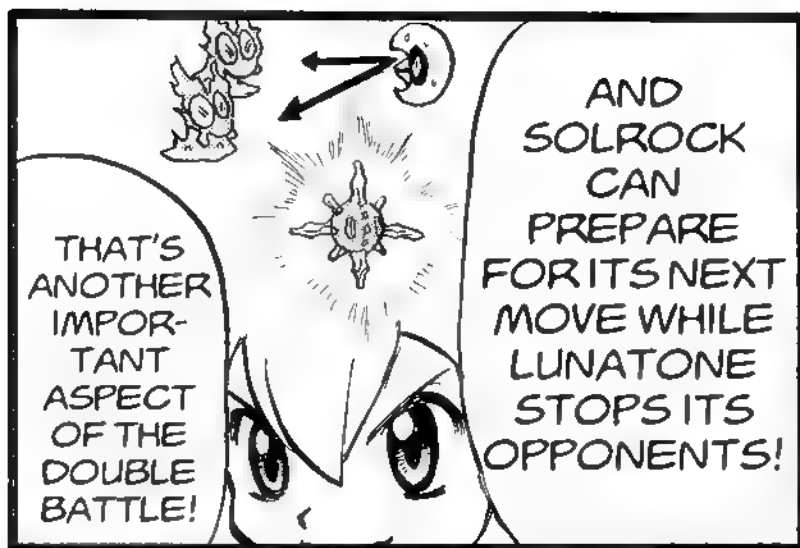
...ENTERS
THIS
MOUNTAIN
WITH ILL
INTENT
!!



BUT WE
WON'T
GO
EASY
ON ANY-
BODY
WHO...

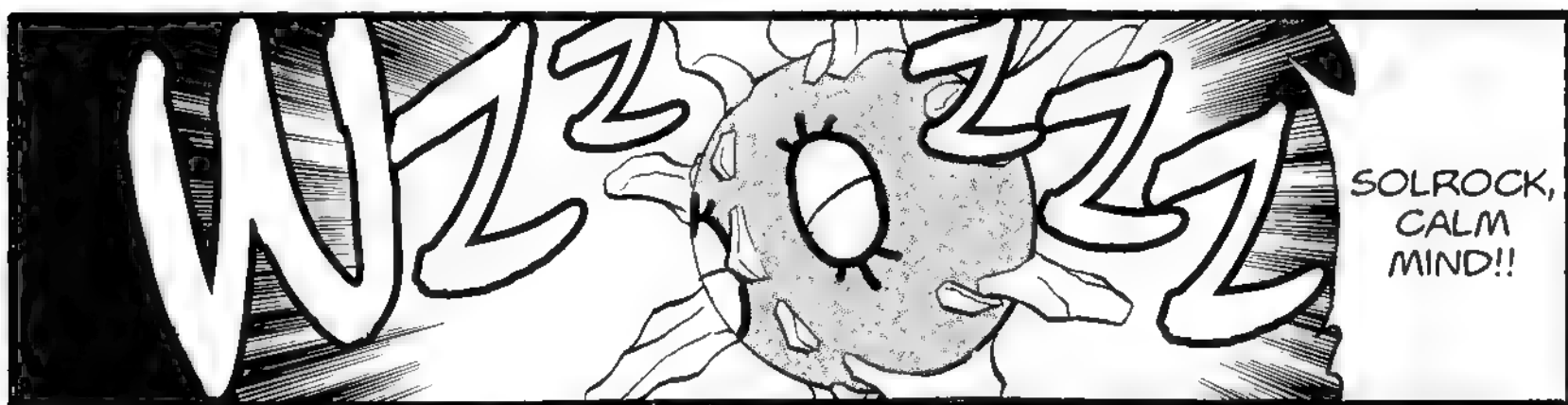


ROCK SLIDE
CAN ATTACK
TWO
POKÉMON
AT THE SAME
TIME!!



THAT'S
ANOTHER
IMPOR-
TANT
ASPECT
OF THE
DOUBLE
BATTLE!

AND
SOLROCK
CAN
PREPARE
FOR ITS NEXT
MOVE WHILE
LUNATONE
STOPS ITS
OPPONENTS!



SOLROCK,
CALM
MIND!!



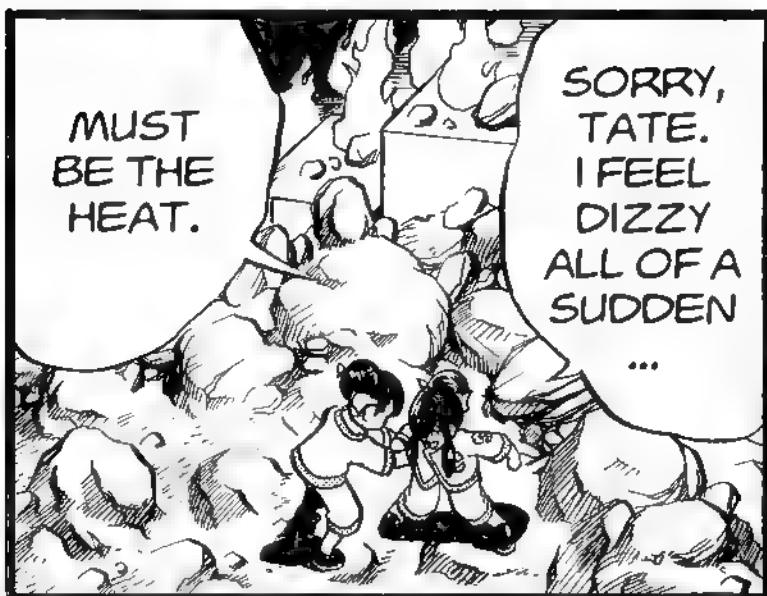
TCH!!
I'LL USE
ACID
ARMOR
...



...
SPECIAL
ATTACK
!!

BOOST
SOL-
ROCK'S
...











YOU'RE
ONLY
FIGHTING
ILLUSIONS
I'VE
CREATED.

HA
HA HA...
SIMPLE.

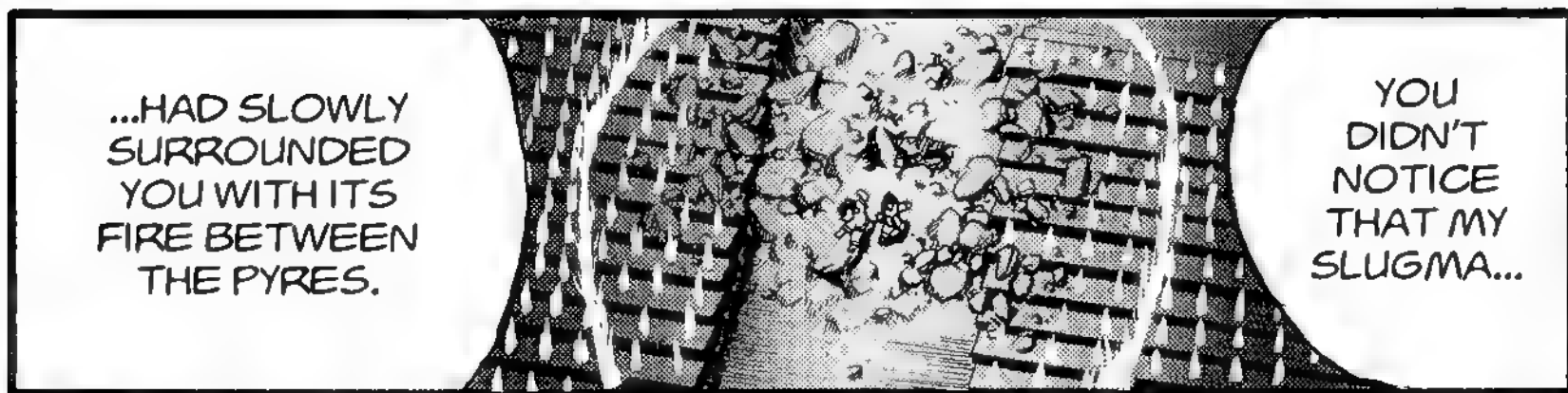
THIS
ISN'T
REALLY A
DOUBLE
BATTLE.



ACK! OUR
ATTACKS
ARE
DEFINITELY
LANDING
ON THEIR
POKÉMON
...



SO WHY
AREN'T
THEY
HAVING
ANY
EFFECT
?!



...HAD SLOWLY
SURROUNDED
YOU WITH ITS
FIRE BETWEEN
THE PYRES.

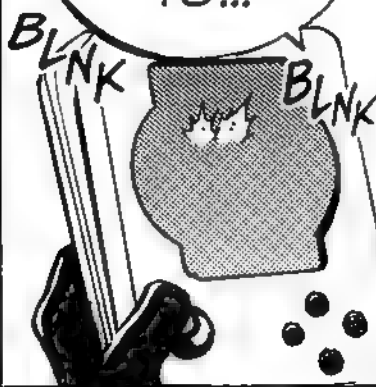
YOU
DIDN'T
NOTICE
THAT MY
SLUGMA...



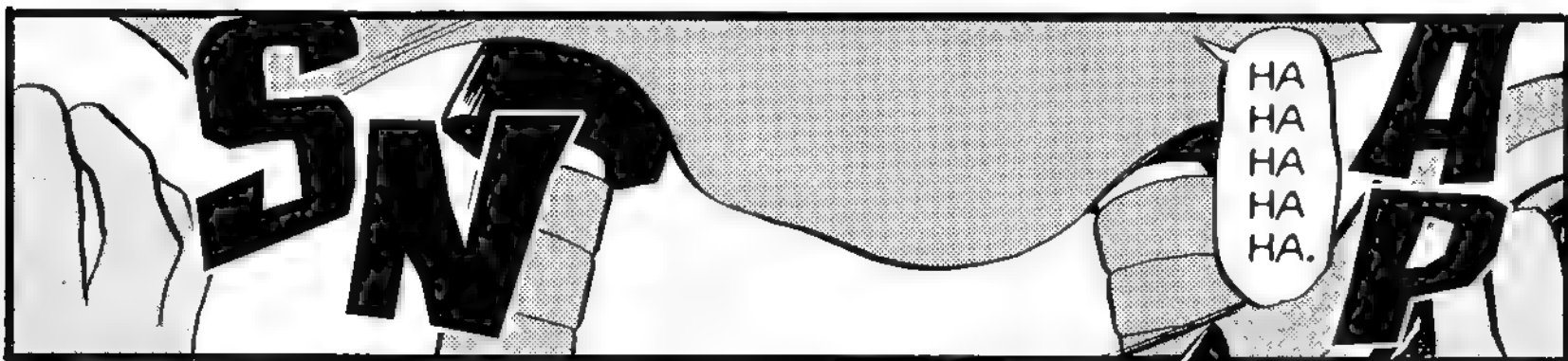
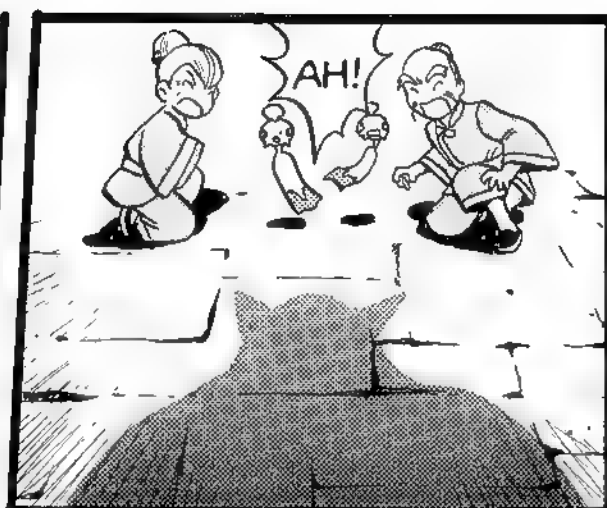
...THE
PEAK.



NOW
THEN...
THE
SCANNER
IS
POINTING
TO...

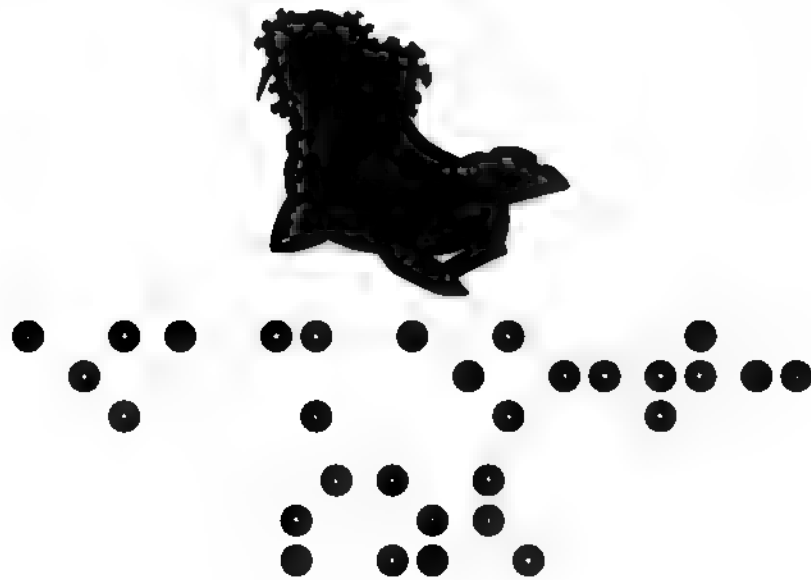


YOU
CAN KEEP
FIGHTING
MY
ILLUSIONS
AS LONG AS
YOU LIKE.



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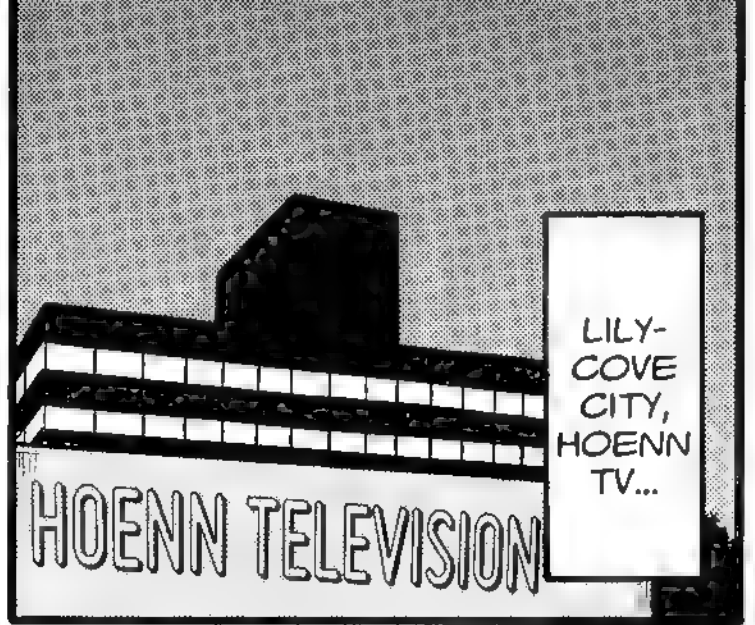
Walrein and Camerupt



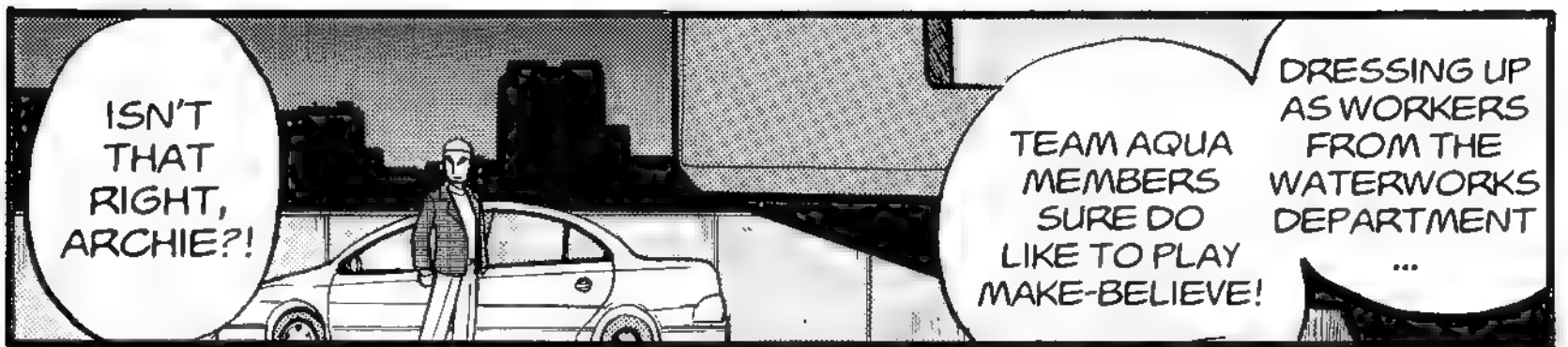
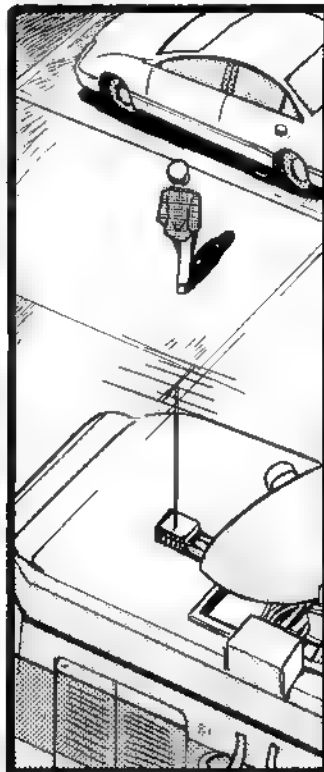
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WELL
NOW...



LILY-
COVE
CITY,
HOENN
TV...



ISN'T
THAT
RIGHT,
ARCHIE?!

TEAM AQUA
MEMBERS
SURE DO
LIKE TO PLAY
MAKE-BELIEVE!

DRESSING UP
AS WORKERS
FROM THE
WATERWORKS
DEPARTMENT
...



WHO'S
THERE
?!

GLARE

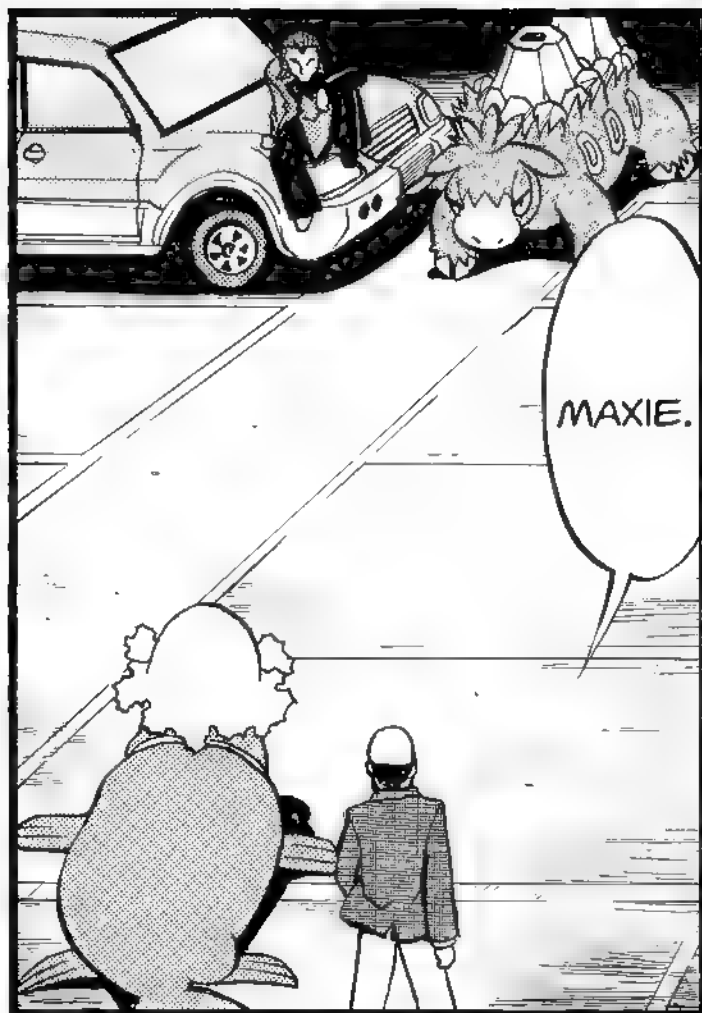
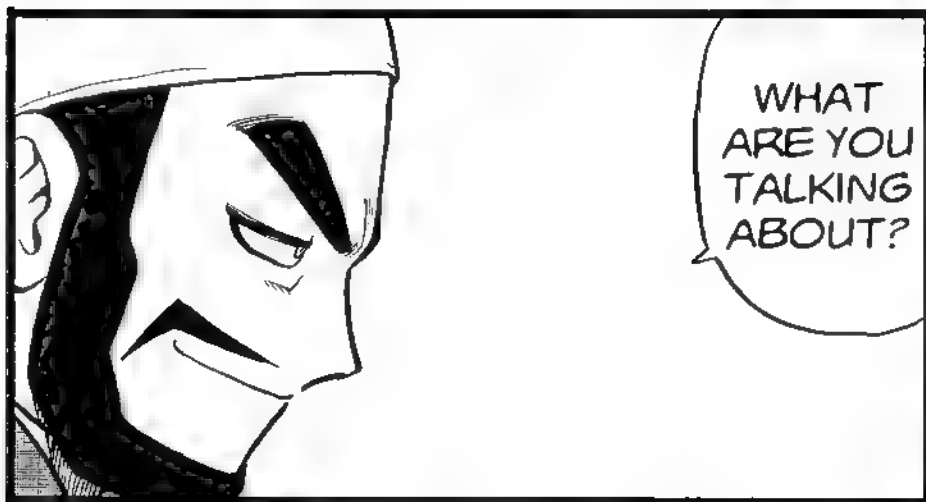
THUD

SWSH

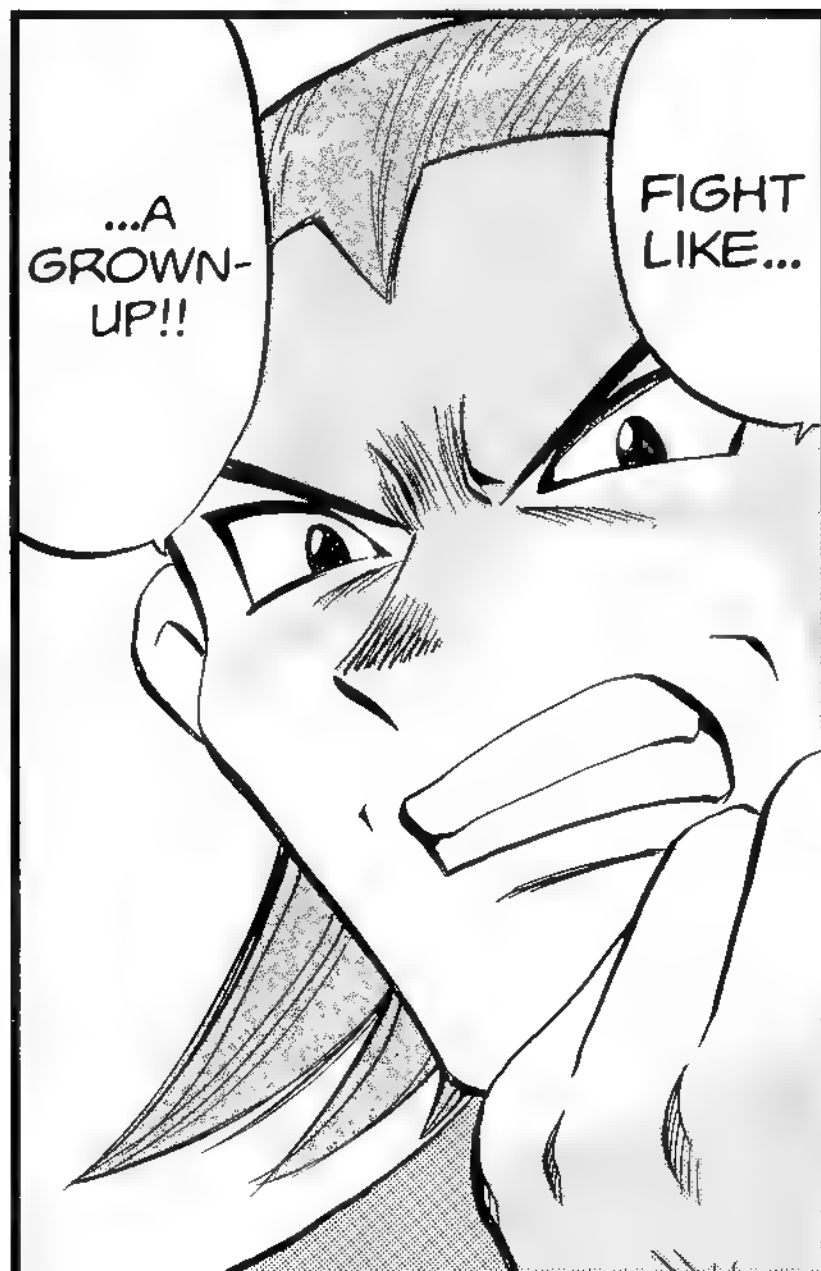
SWSH

SWSH














AND THE
ICY CHILL
FROM ITS
TUSKS CAN
FREEZE ITS
OPPONENT.

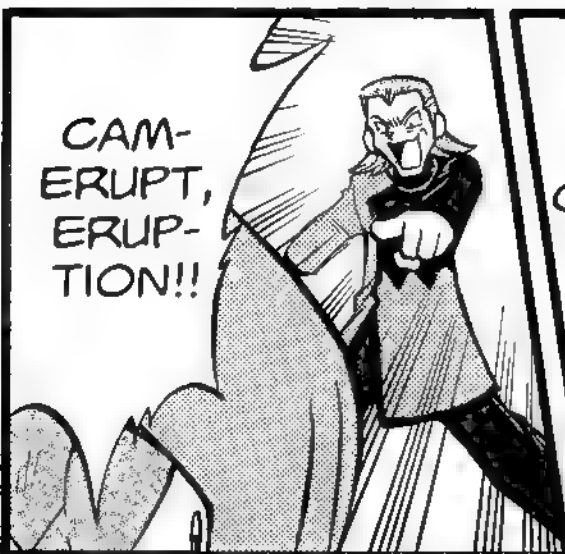
AREA	CP	SIZE	CANCEL
 No.175 Walrein Ice Break Pokémon Height: 4'07" Weight: 332.0 lbs.			
<small>Walrein's two massively developed tusks can totally shatter blocks of ice weighing ten tons with one blow. This Pokémon's thick coat of blubber insulates it from subzero temperatures.</small>			

HA HA!
WALREIN'S
TUSKS ARE
STRONG
ENOUGH TO
CRUSH A
TEN-TON
ICEBURG.



CAMERUPT'S
ABILITY IS
MAGMA
ARMOR—
SO IT WILL
NEVER
FREEZE!!

ICY
CHILL
FROM ITS
TUSKS...
HOW
AMUSING!



YOUR
WALREIN
CAN'T MOVE
WITH ITS
TUSKS
STUCK
IN ITS
BACK!!

I PUR-
POSELY
LET YOU
ATTACK
IT FROM
BEHIND
!!





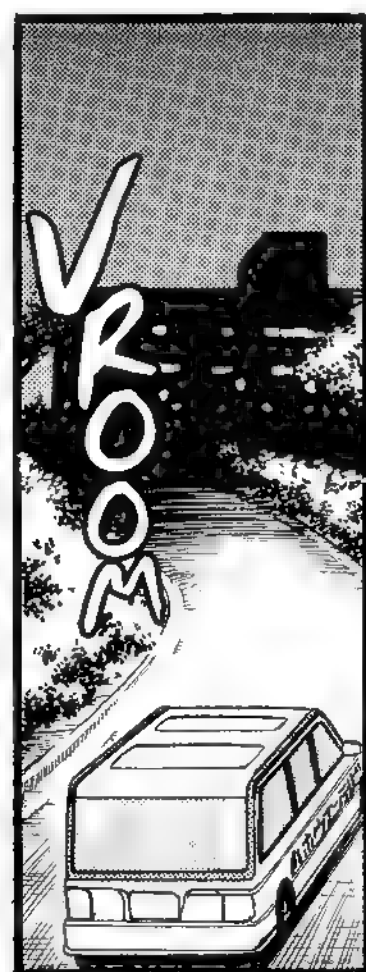
THE
CHIEF
BETTER
HAVE A
GOOD
EXPLANA-
TION....!!

WE
WANT YOU
TO TELL
PEOPLE
ABOUT
THIS!!

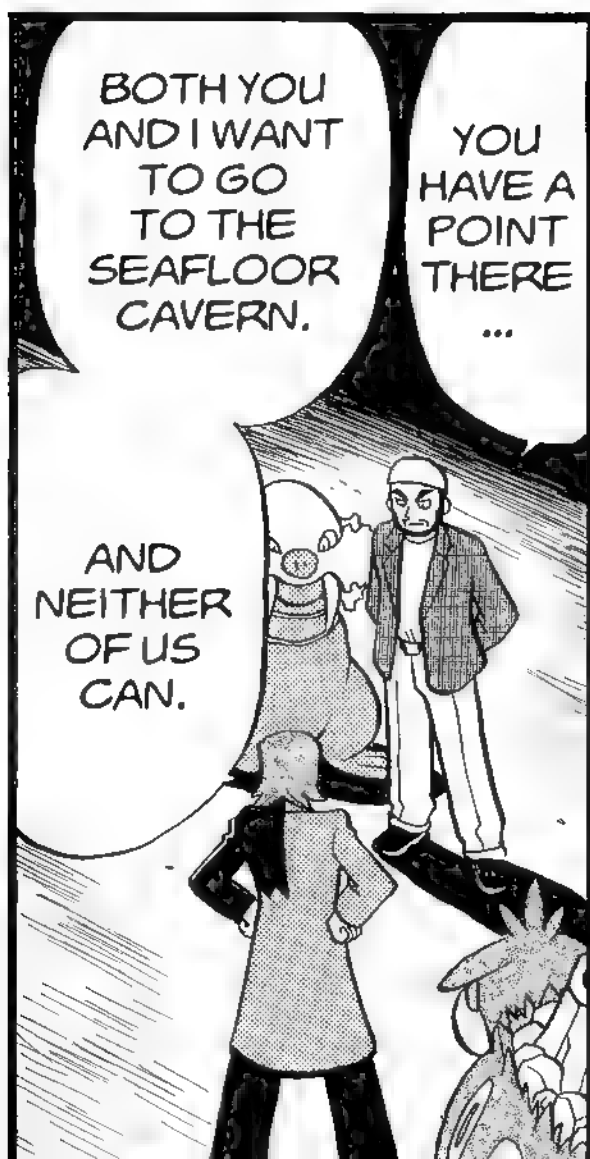
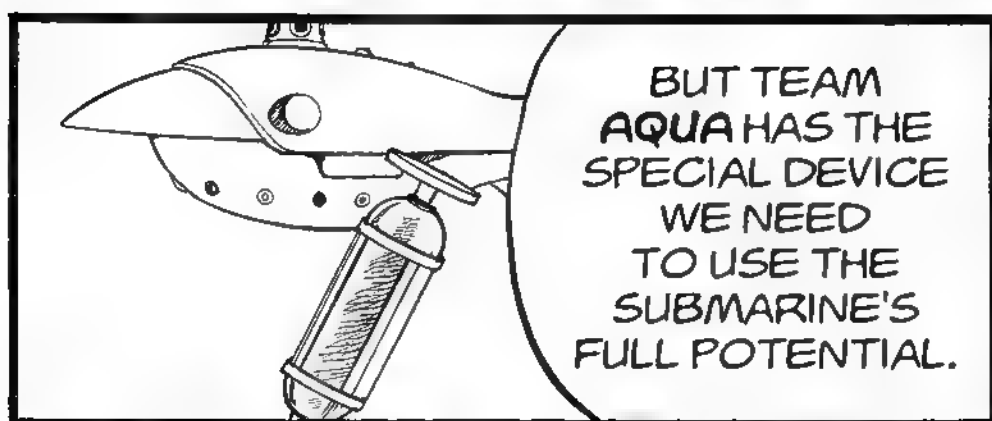
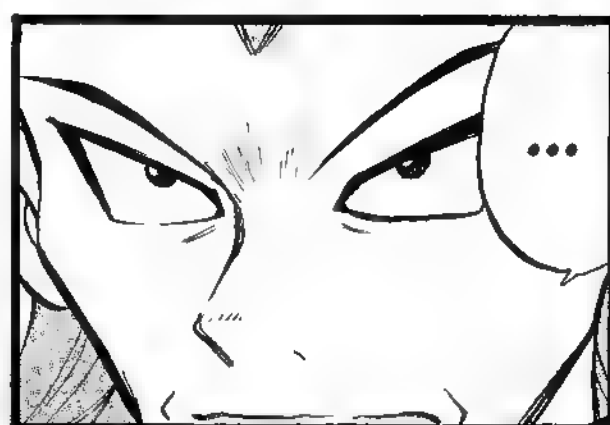
WHAT ARE
YOU TALKING
ABOUT?! YOU'RE
THE ONES WHO
DECIDED NOT TO
REPORT IT!!

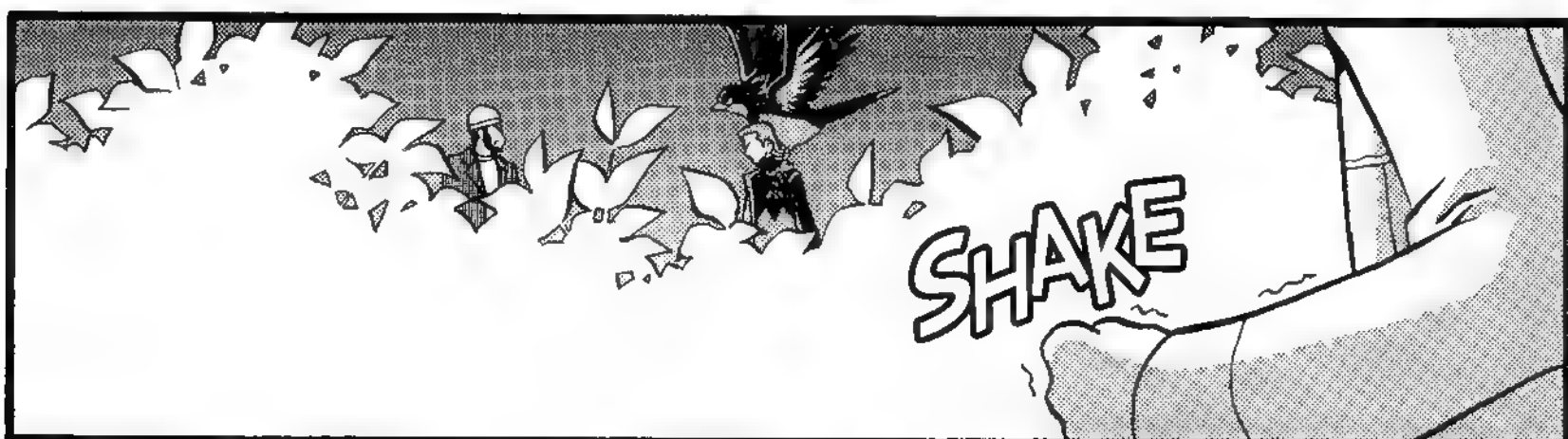
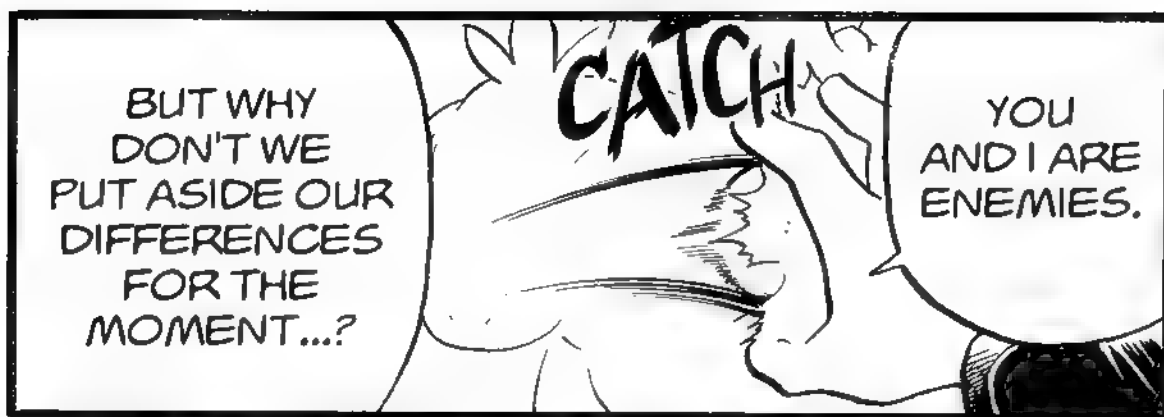


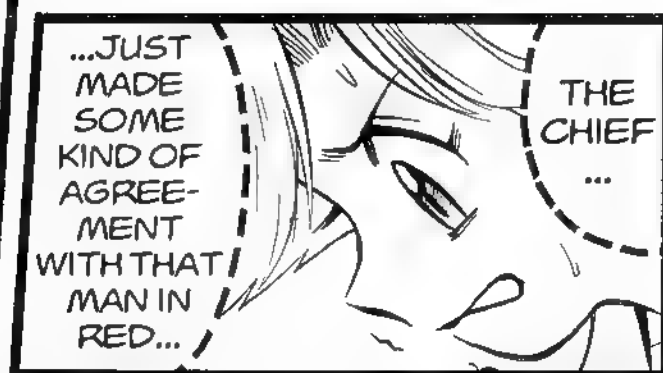
SOME-
THING
ISN'T
RIGHT!!



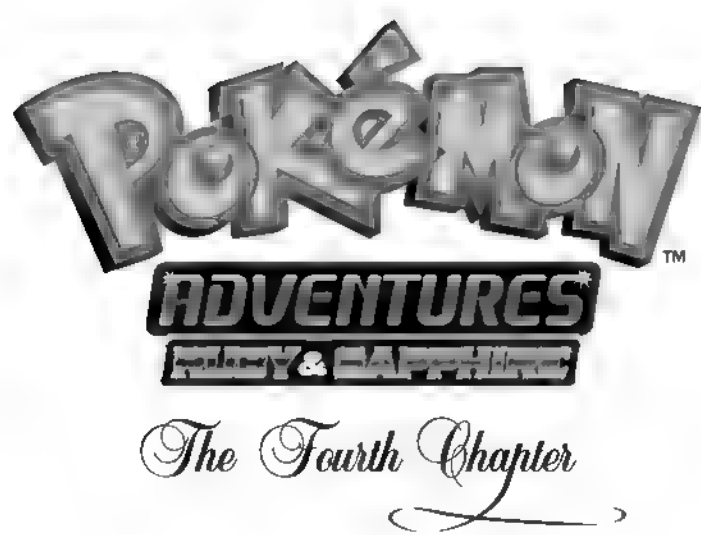
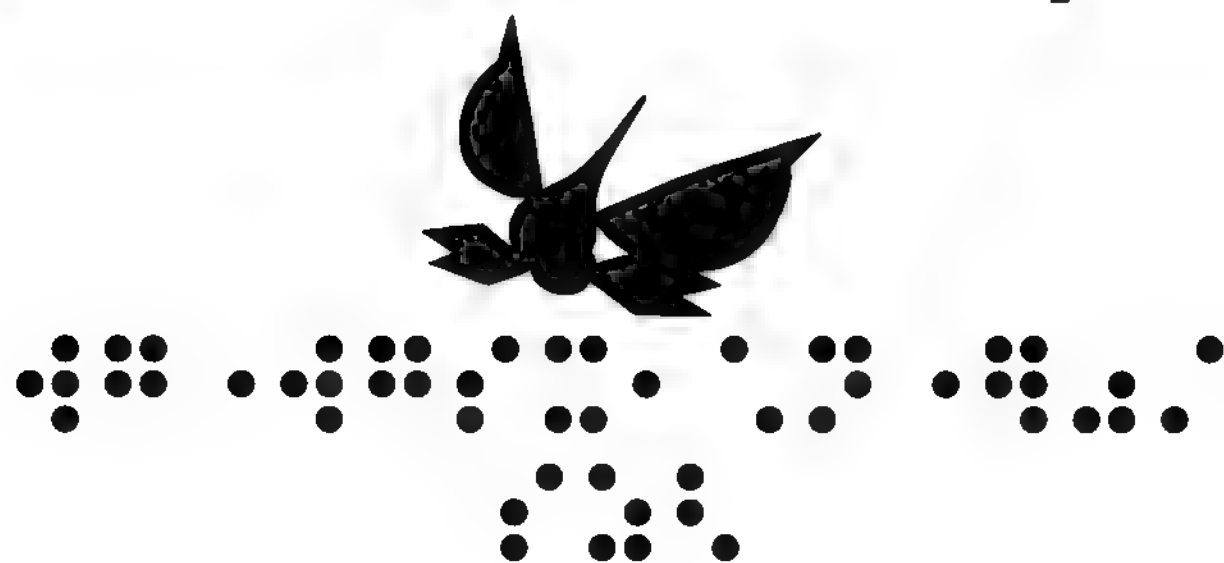


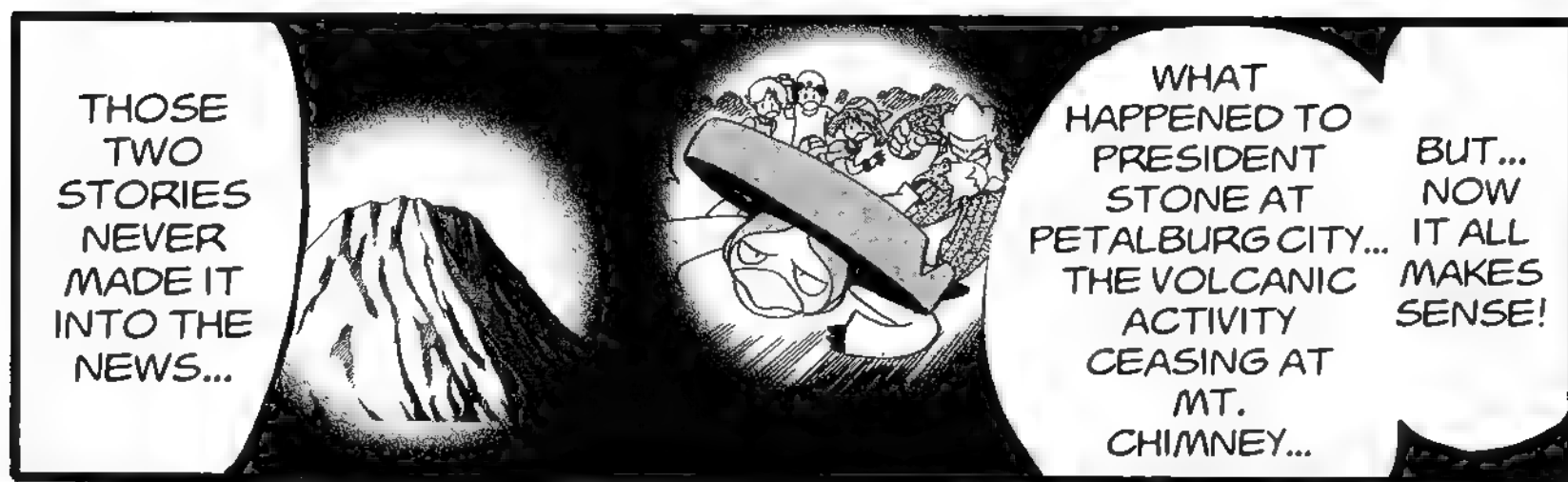






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Master Class with Masquerain







THOSE
ARE BOTH
TERRIBLE
PLANS!!!



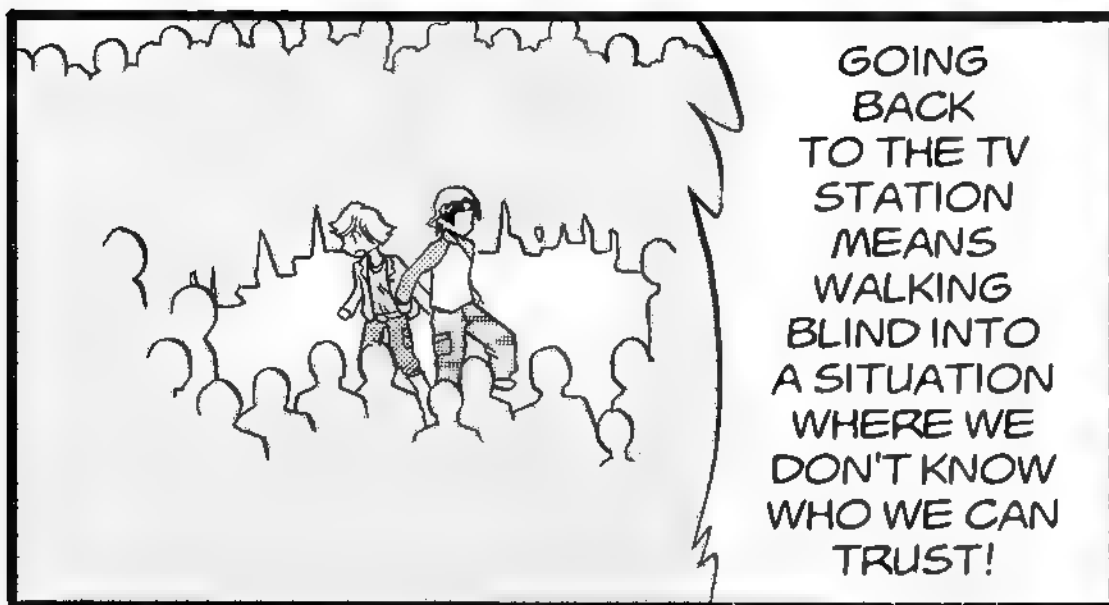
YOU JUST
SAW THAT
BATTLE!
WE CAN'T
DEFEAT
HIM!

LET'S SAY WE
WENT AFTER
HIM... WHAT
COULD WE
DO EVEN IF
WE DID CATCH
UP TO HIM?!



...THERE'S
A GOOD
CHANCE
THERE ARE
OTHERS AT
THE STATION
WHO ARE
MEMBERS
OF HIS EVIL
ORGANIZA-
TION TOO!!

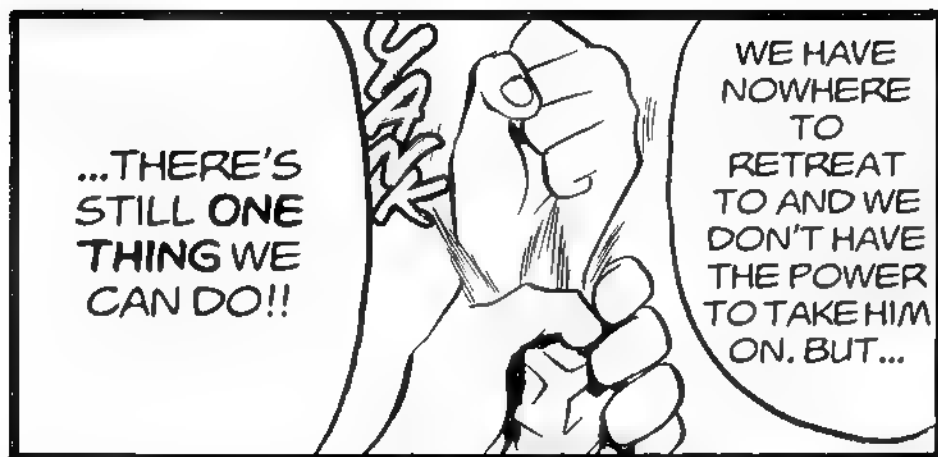
IF HE'S
POWERFUL
ENOUGH TO
BECOME THE
CHIEF OF
HOENN TV AND
CONTROL THE
MEDIA...



GOING
BACK
TO THE TV
STATION
MEANS
WALKING
BLIND INTO
A SITUATION
WHERE WE
DON'T KNOW
WHO WE CAN
TRUST!



AND IT
WOULD
BE EVEN
MORE
DANGER-
OUS TO GO
BACK TO
THE TV
STATION!!



FOR-
TREE
CITY
...





GRRR
RRRRR!



IS AN
IDIOT)



FWIP
FWIP

MORE
!!



SAPPHIRE!
WHAT
HAPPENED
TO YOUR
CLOTHES
?!
HFF



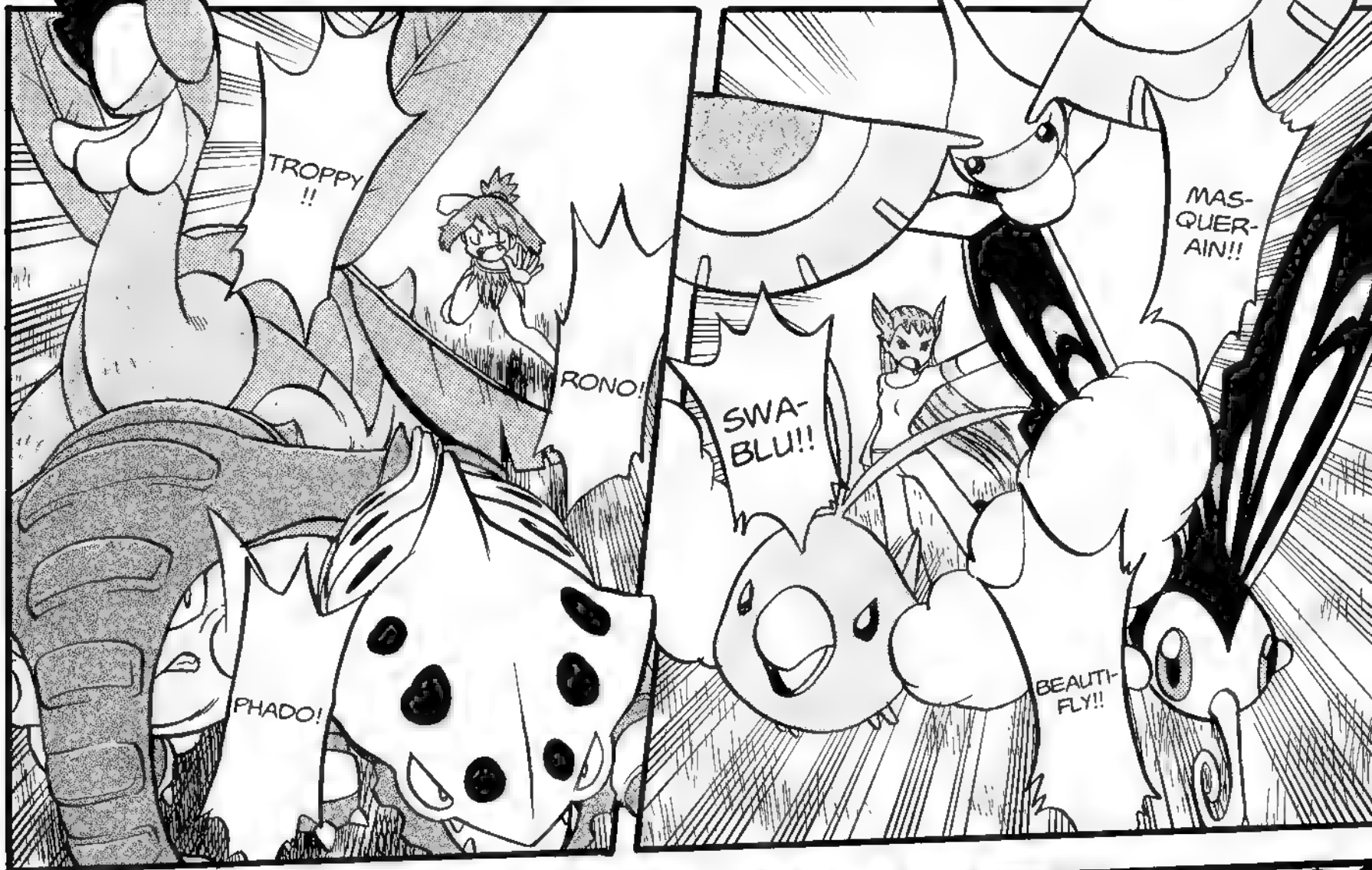
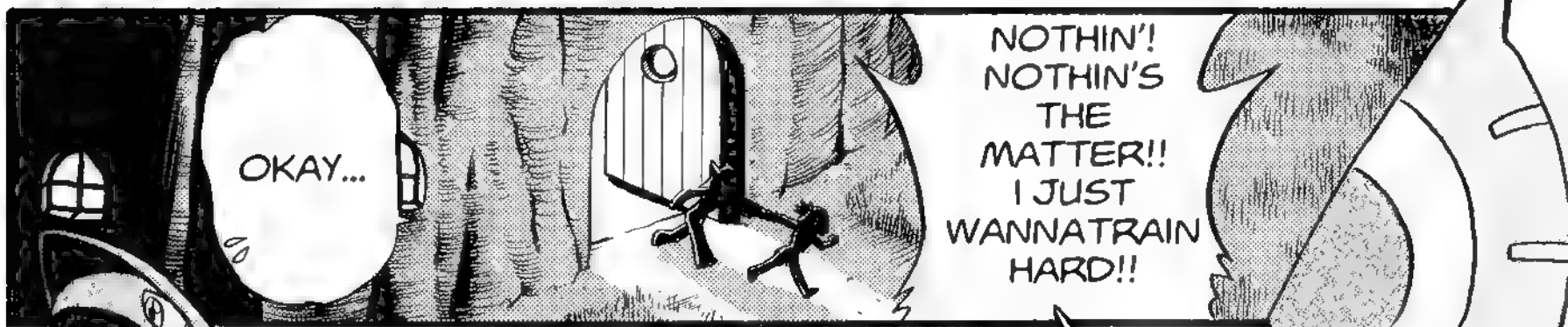
WHAT'S
THE
MATTER
...?

LESS
TALK, MORE
TRAINING!!



HEY,
MASTER
!!

WOULDJA
TRAIN ME
SOME
MORE?!





SHE'S
INTIMIDAT-
ING!!



YEAH!
HAH!



WHAT
ARE YOU
DOING?!
FIGHT
BACK!!



MAS-
QUERAIN,
STUN
SPORE
!!

SWABLU,
FURY
ATTACK
!!

BEAUTIFLY,
WHIRL-
WIND!!

==IOWA==



PHADO

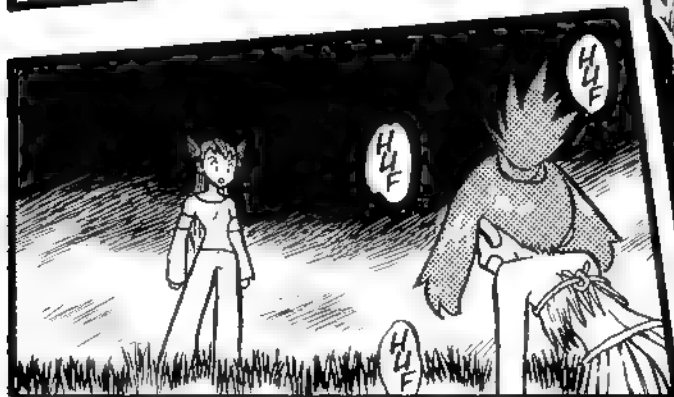
...

PHADO,
TROPPY,
AERIAL
ACE!!



THUMP

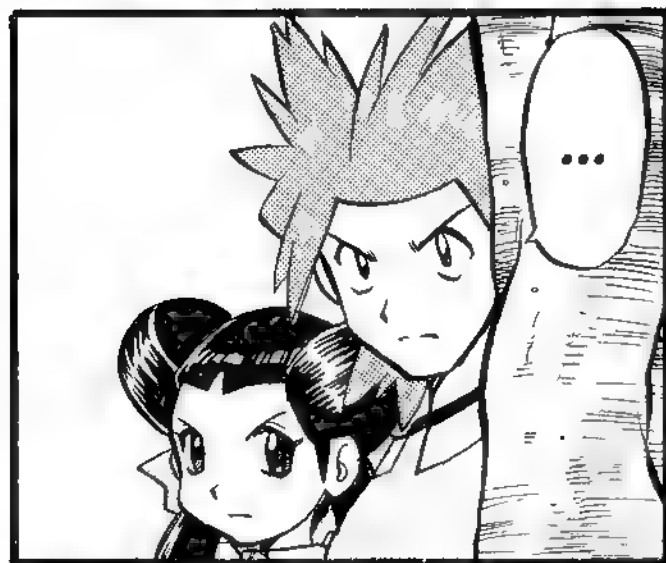
ROCK
TOMB!!

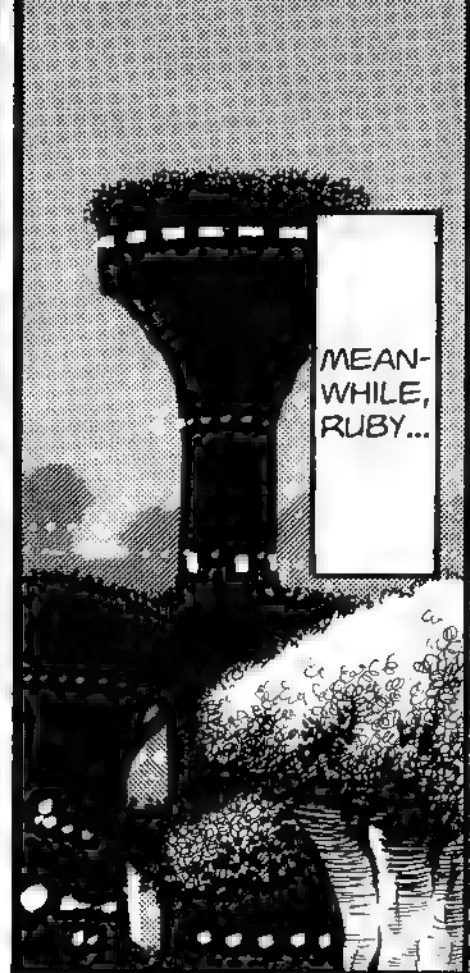


IMPRES-
SIVE

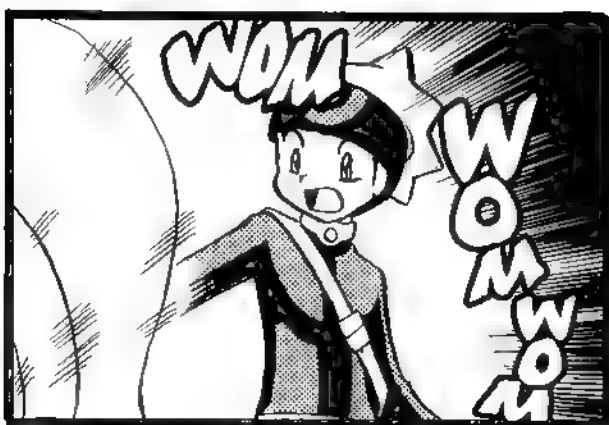
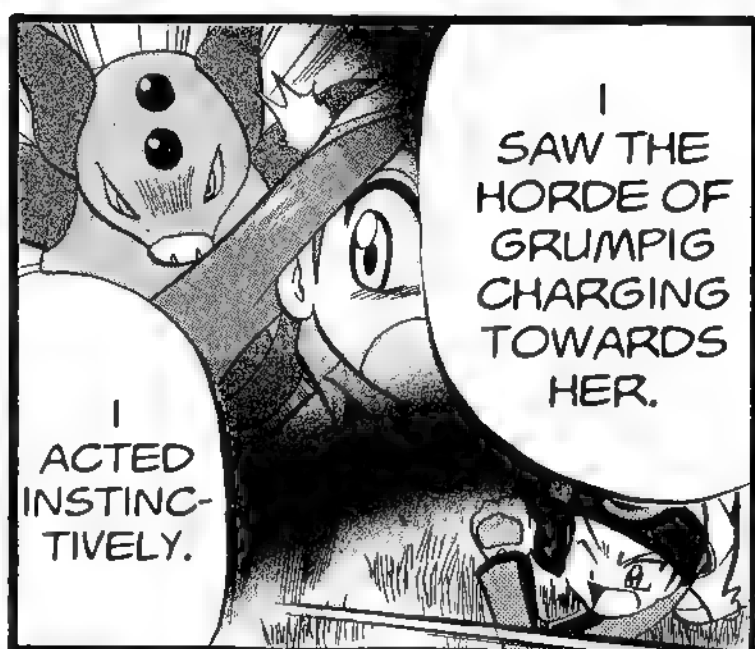
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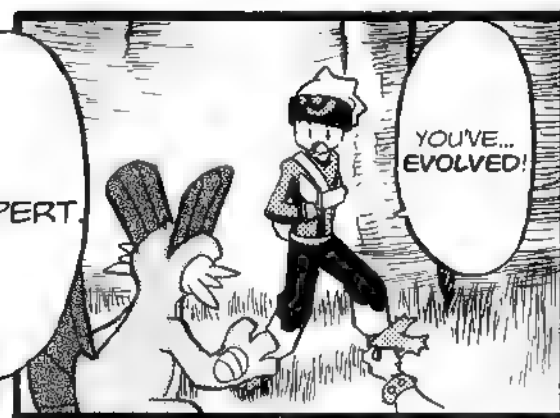
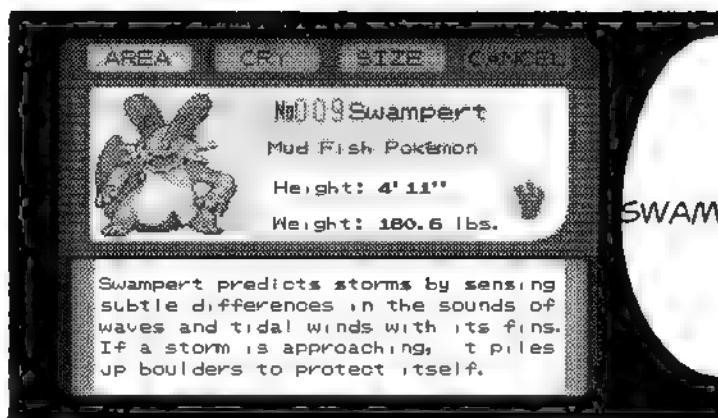
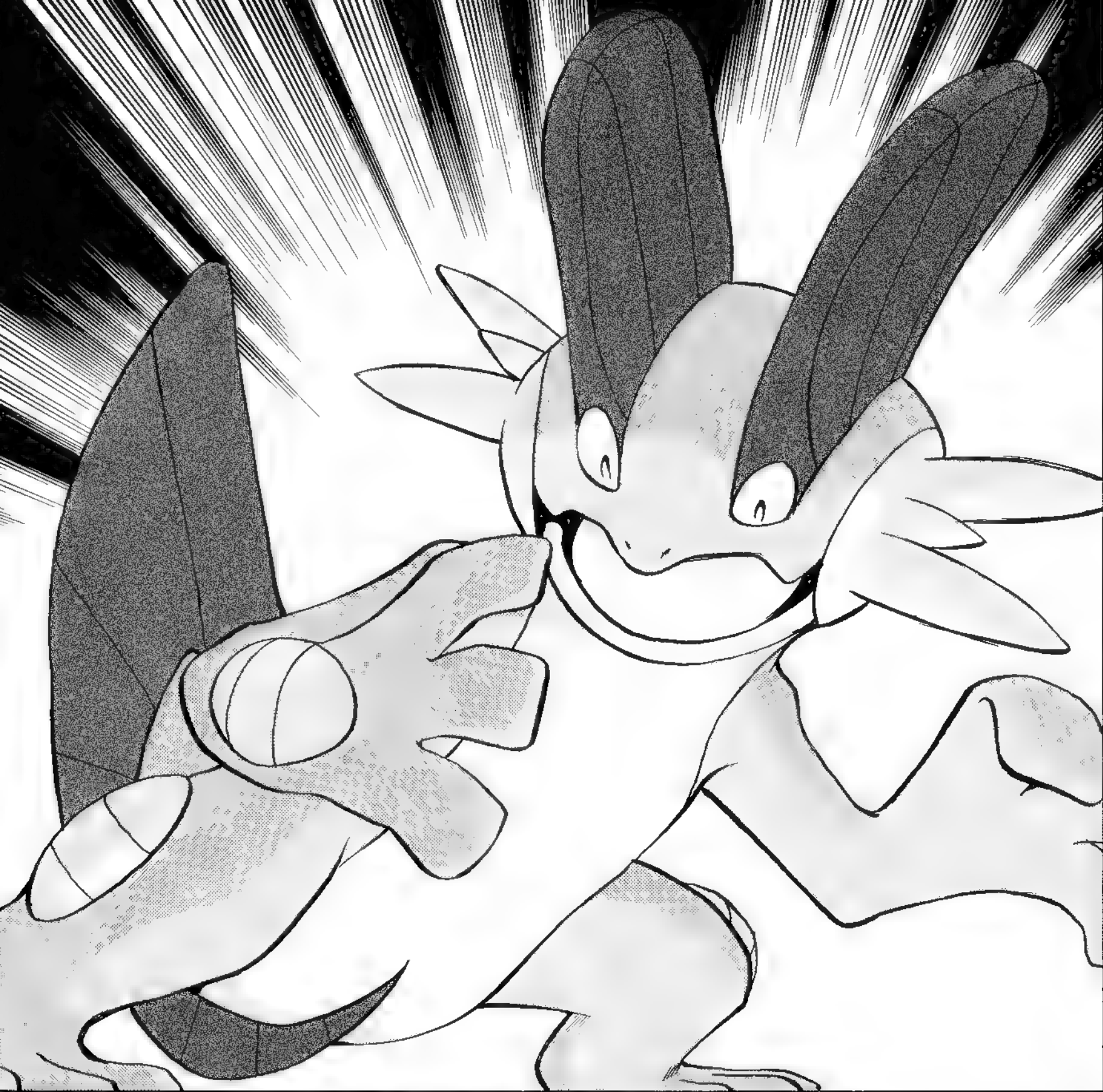
IT'S AS IF
YOU'RE
POURING
YOUR
EMOTIONS
INTO THIS
BATTLE...

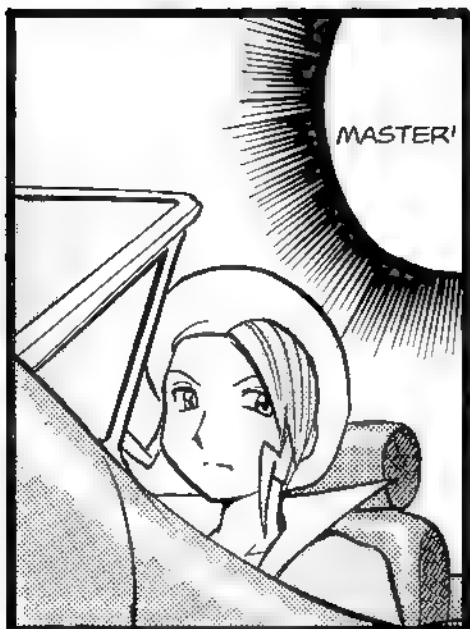




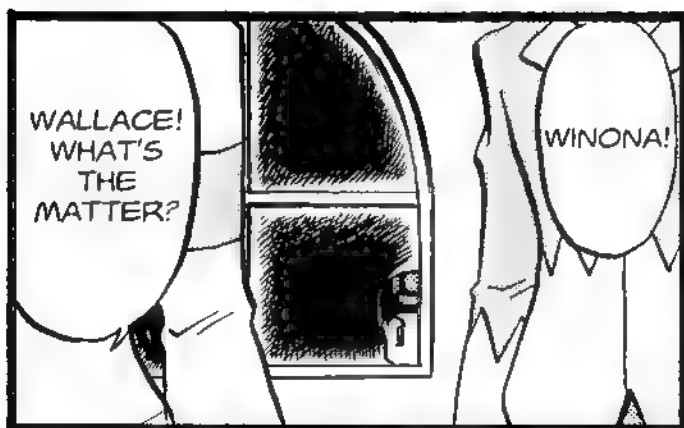
MEAN-
WHILE,
RUBY...



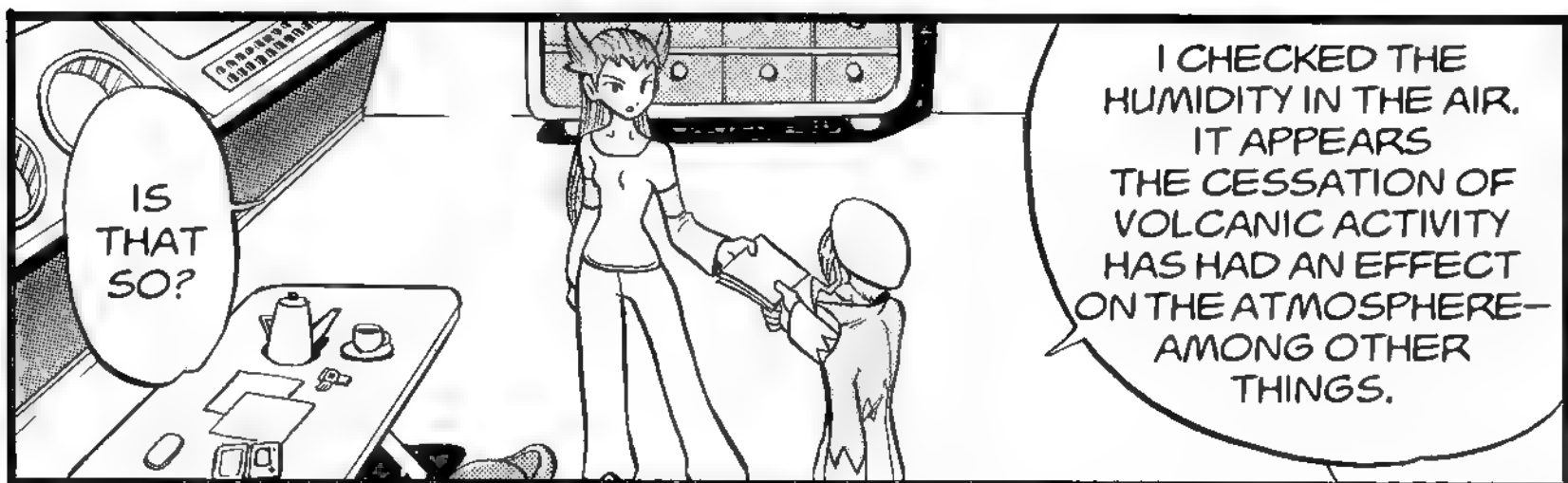
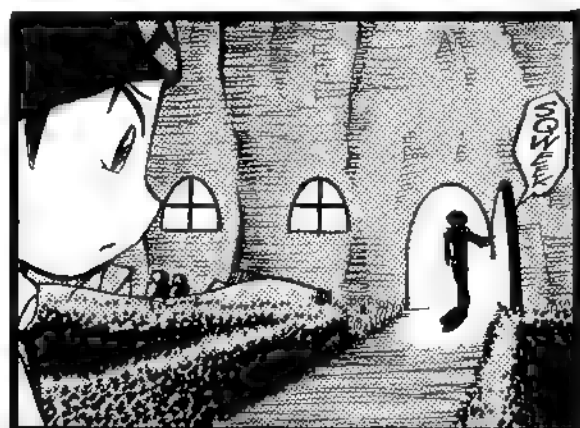




IT'S LIKE
MY BODY,
MY MUSCLE
MEMORY,
REMEMBERS
WHAT IT
FEELS LIKE
TO POKÉMON
BATTLE.

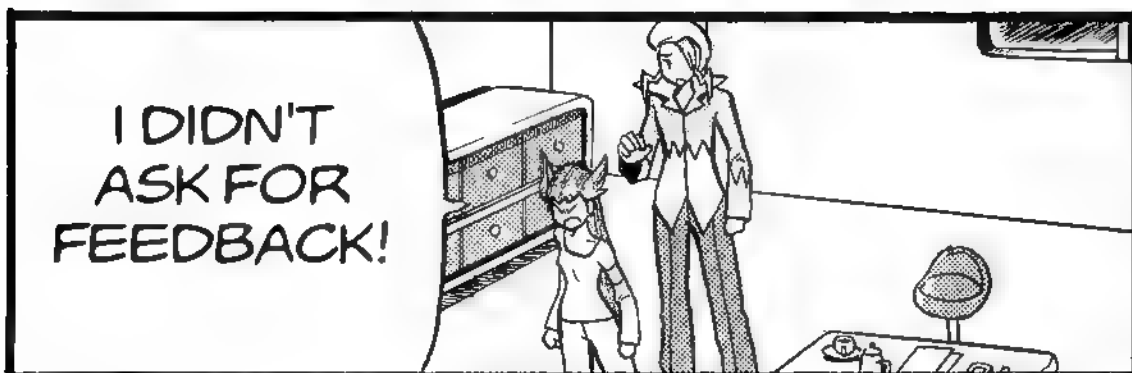
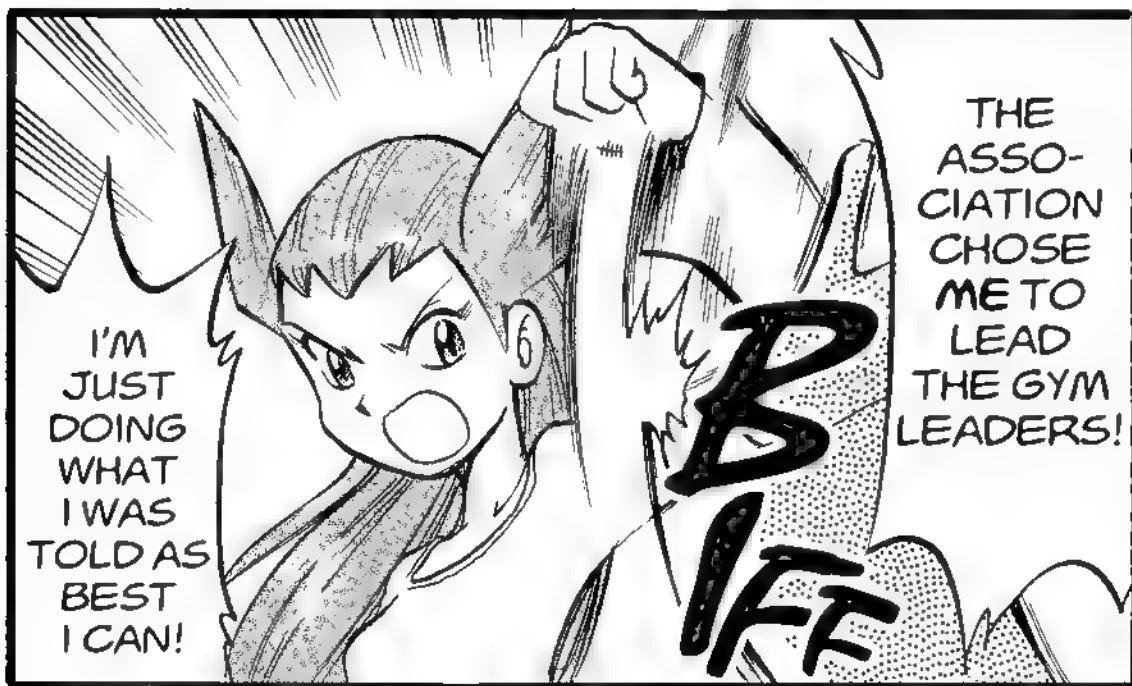
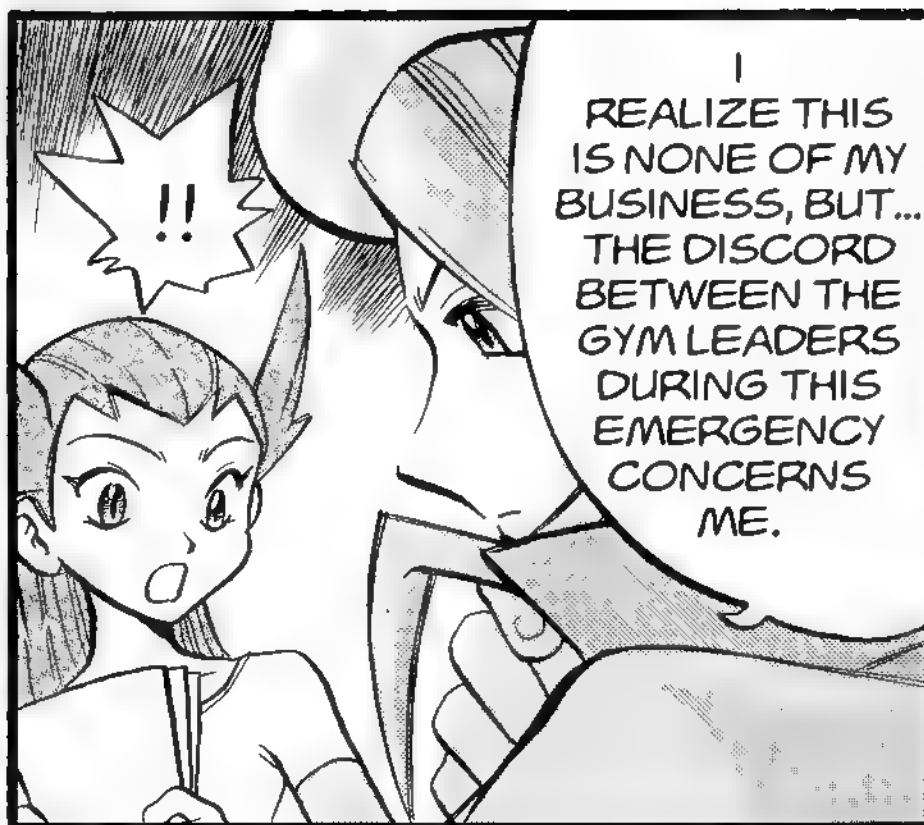


WINONA!



IS
THAT
SO?

I CHECKED THE
HUMIDITY IN THE AIR.
IT APPEARS
THE CESSATION OF
VOLCANIC ACTIVITY
HAS HAD AN EFFECT
ON THE ATMOSPHERE—
AMONG OTHER
THINGS.





WE...
DON'T HAVE
THAT KIND
OF RELA-
TIONSHIP
ANYMORE...

I DON'T KNOW
WHAT THEY'RE
TALKING ABOUT,
BUT I CAN FEEL
THE TENSION IN
THE AIR...



THE
ENTIRE
HOENN
REGION
IS IN
CRISIS!

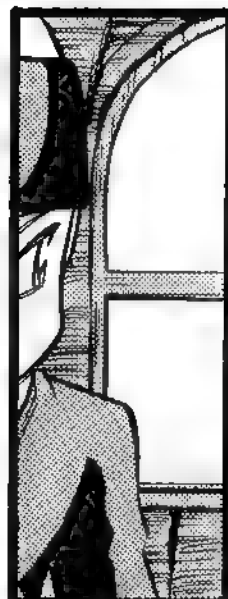
IT'S
NO
SUR-
PRISE
...

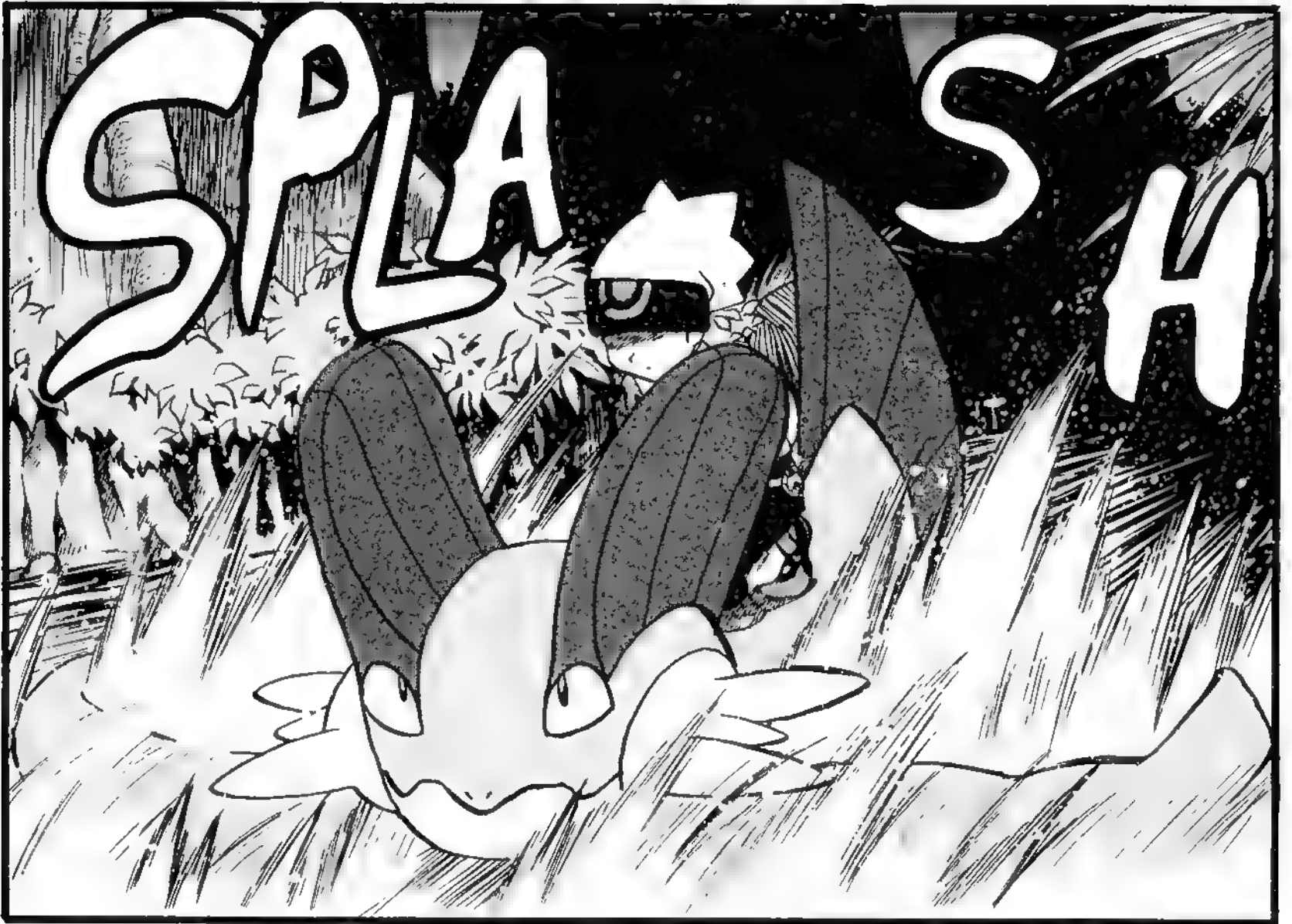
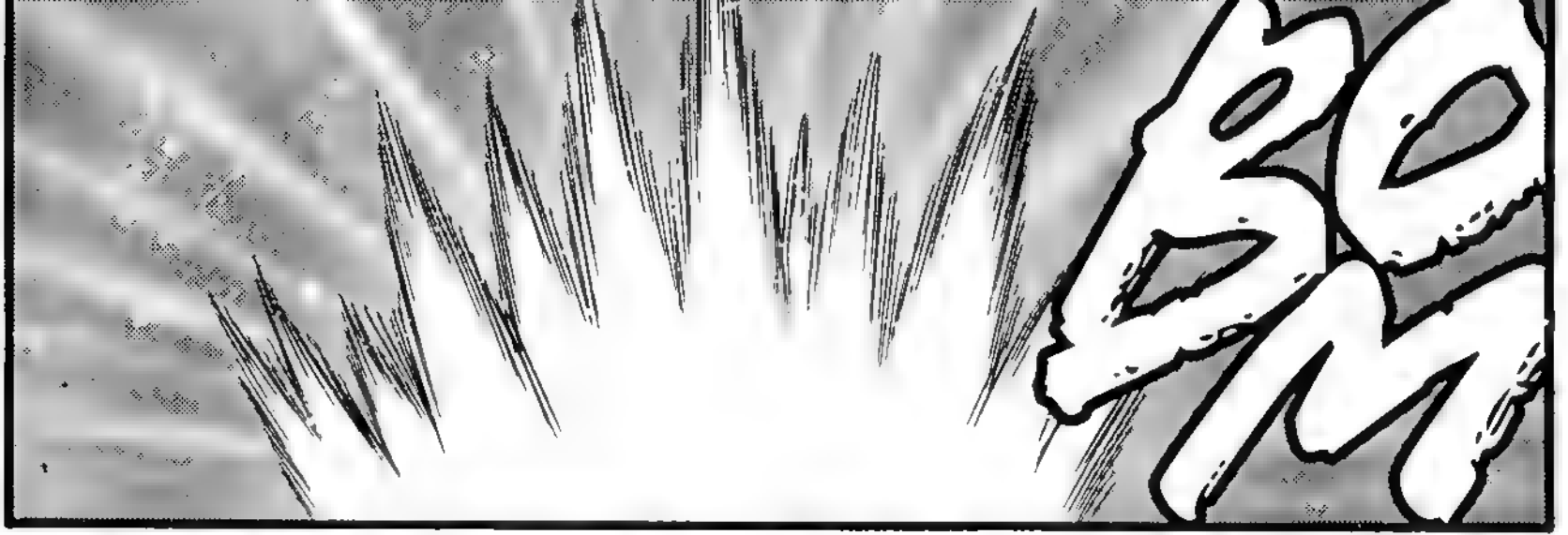
THEY'RE
SAYIN' THEY
NEED ALL
THE HELP
THEY CAN
GET!

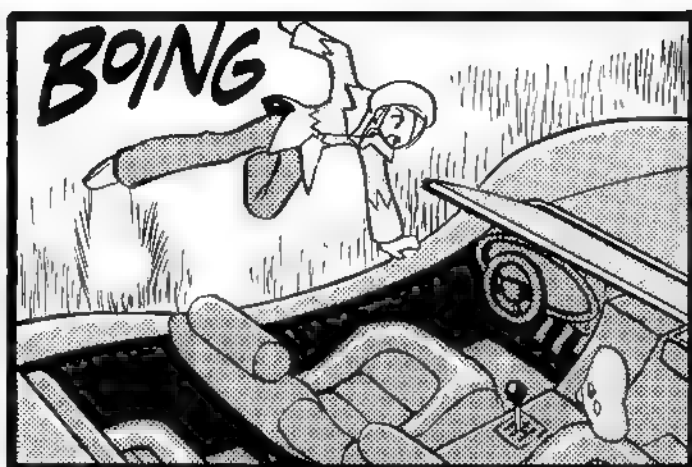
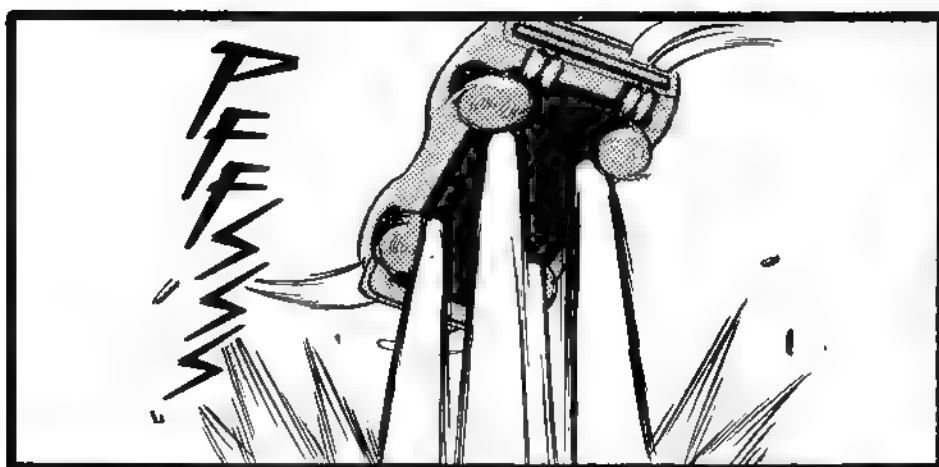
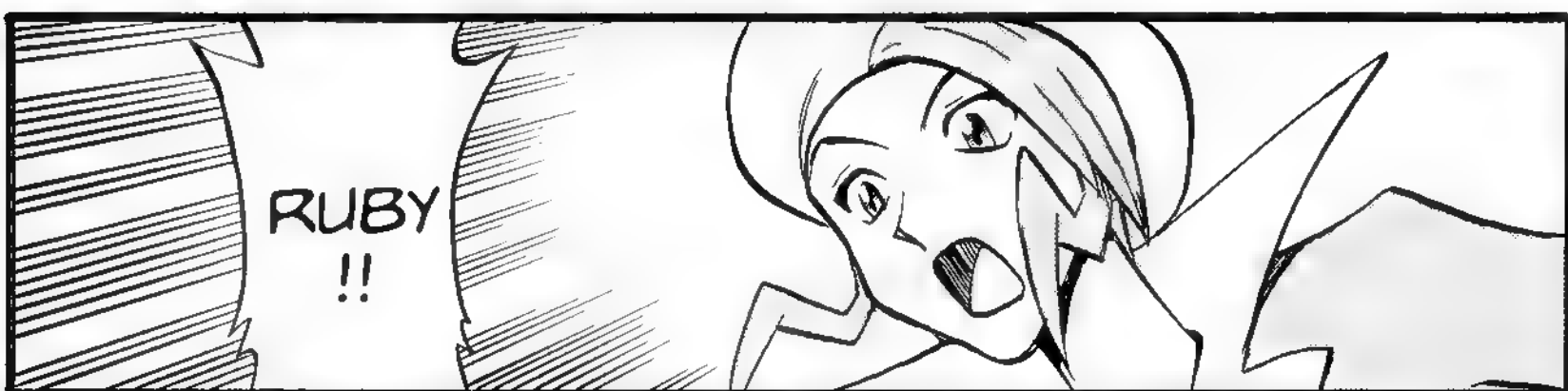


EVERYBODY,
INCLUDING
MY MASTER,
HAS
GATHERED
HERE TO
FIGHT...





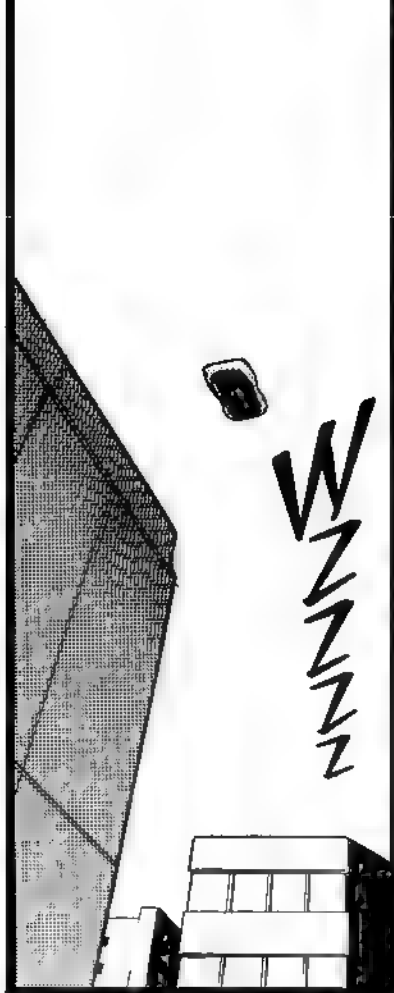








AH
!!



WZZZZ

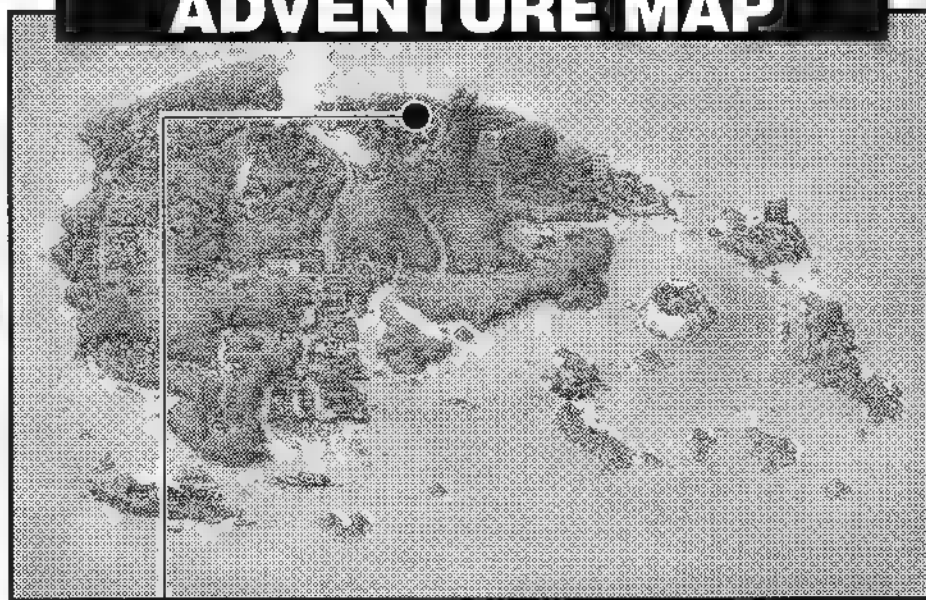


WHAT
HAP-
PENED
HERE
...?!

29 DAYS LEFT UNTIL THE DEADLINE!



ADVENTURE MAP



SAPPHIRE



RUBY



CHIC

Blaziken ♀

Lv39



RONO

Lairon ♂

Lv41



LORRY

Wailord ♂

Lv47



PHADO

Donphan ♂

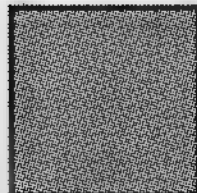
Lv47



TROPY

Tropius ♂

Lv46



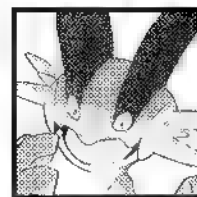
Jagged Pass

Fallarbor Town

Route 111

Route 111

Fortree City



MUMU

Swampert ♂



NANA

Mightyena ♀



KIKI

Delcatty ♀



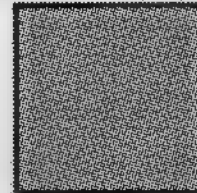
FEEFEE

Feebas ♀



FOFO

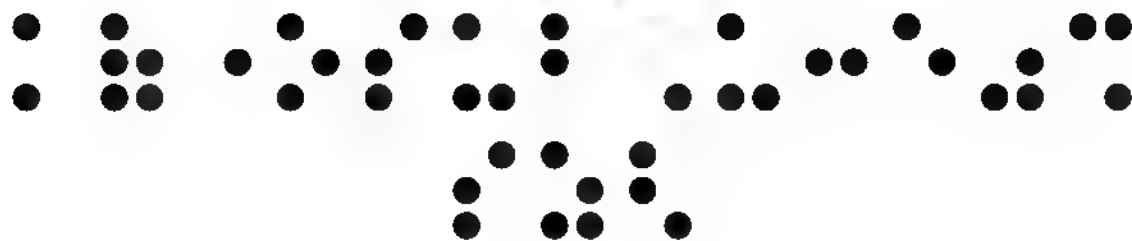
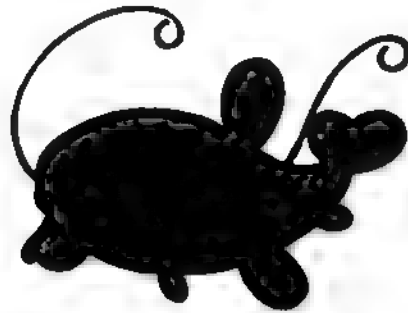
Castform ♀



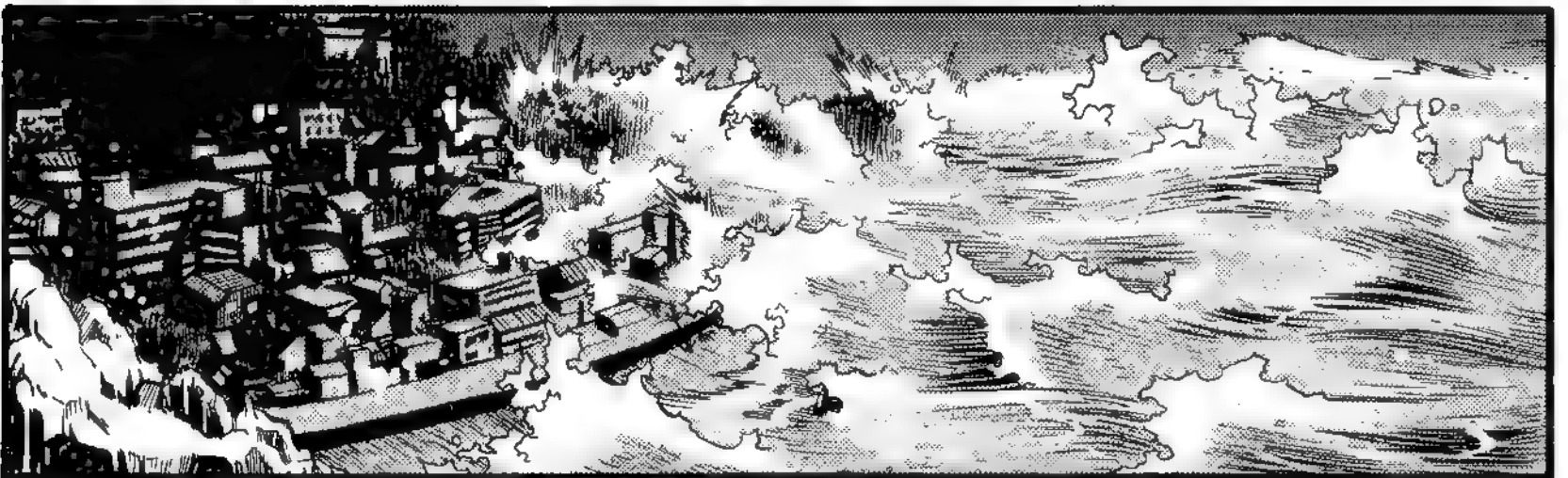
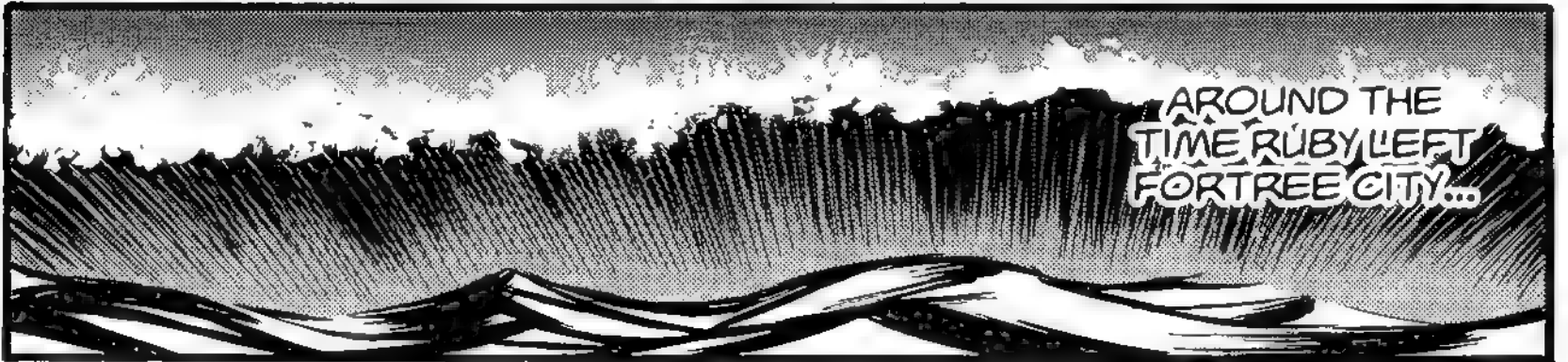
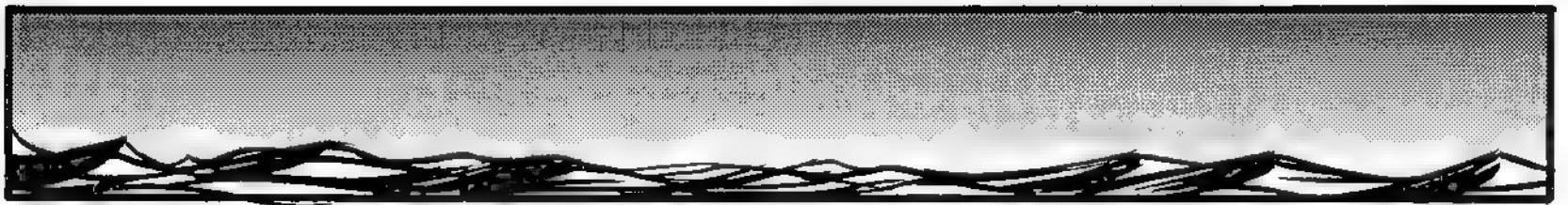
Stone Badge	Knuckle Badge	Dynamo Badge	Heat Badge
Balance Badge	Feather Badge	Mind Badge	Rain Badge

	Cool	Beauty	Cute	Smart	Tough
Normal					
Super					
Hyper					
Master					

● Chapter 232 ●
**Always Keep Whiscash on You
for Emergencies**



The Fourth Chapter

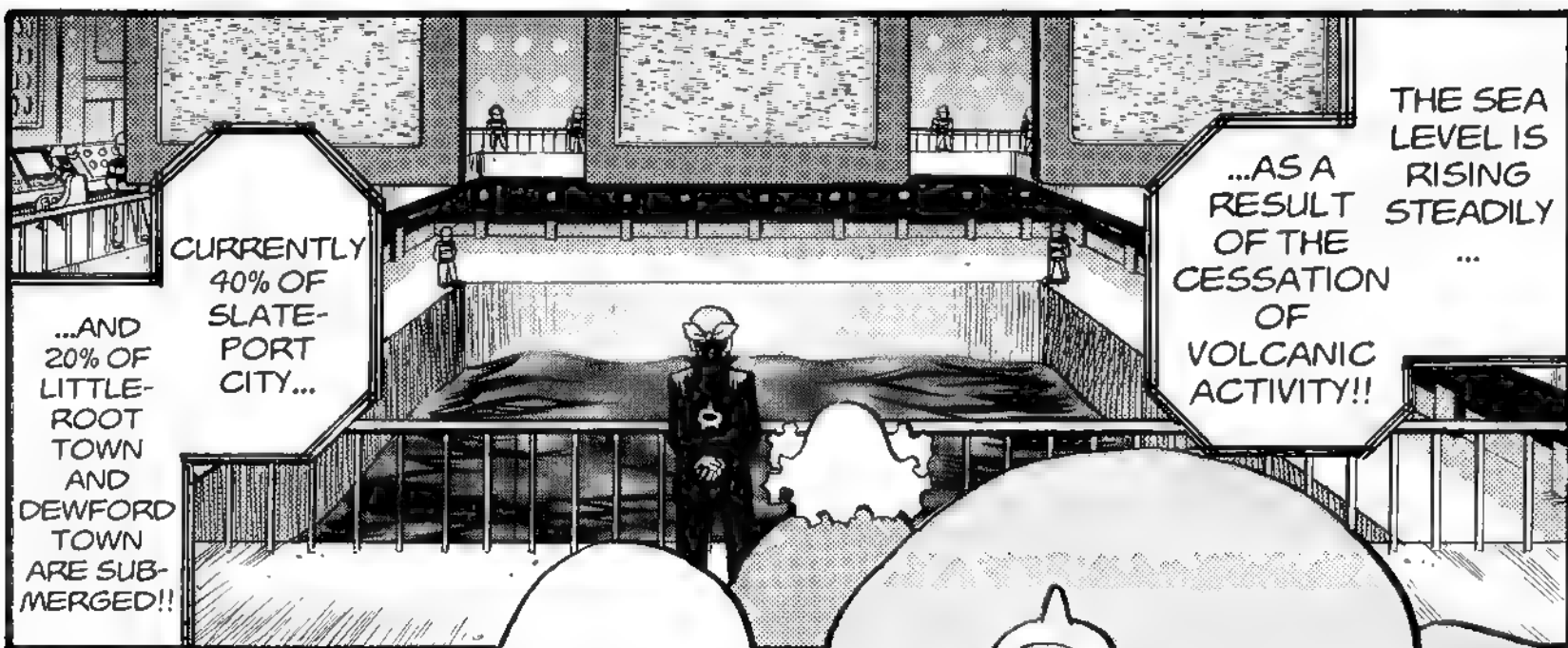




TEAM
AQUA
HEAD-
QUARTERS



LILY-
COVE
CITY,
OFF-
SHORE



CURRENTLY
40% OF
SLATE-
PORT
CITY...

...AND
20% OF
LITTLE-
ROOT
TOWN
AND
DEWFORD
TOWN
ARE SUB-
MERGED!!

...AS A
RESULT
OF THE
CESSATION
OF
VOLCANIC
ACTIVITY!!

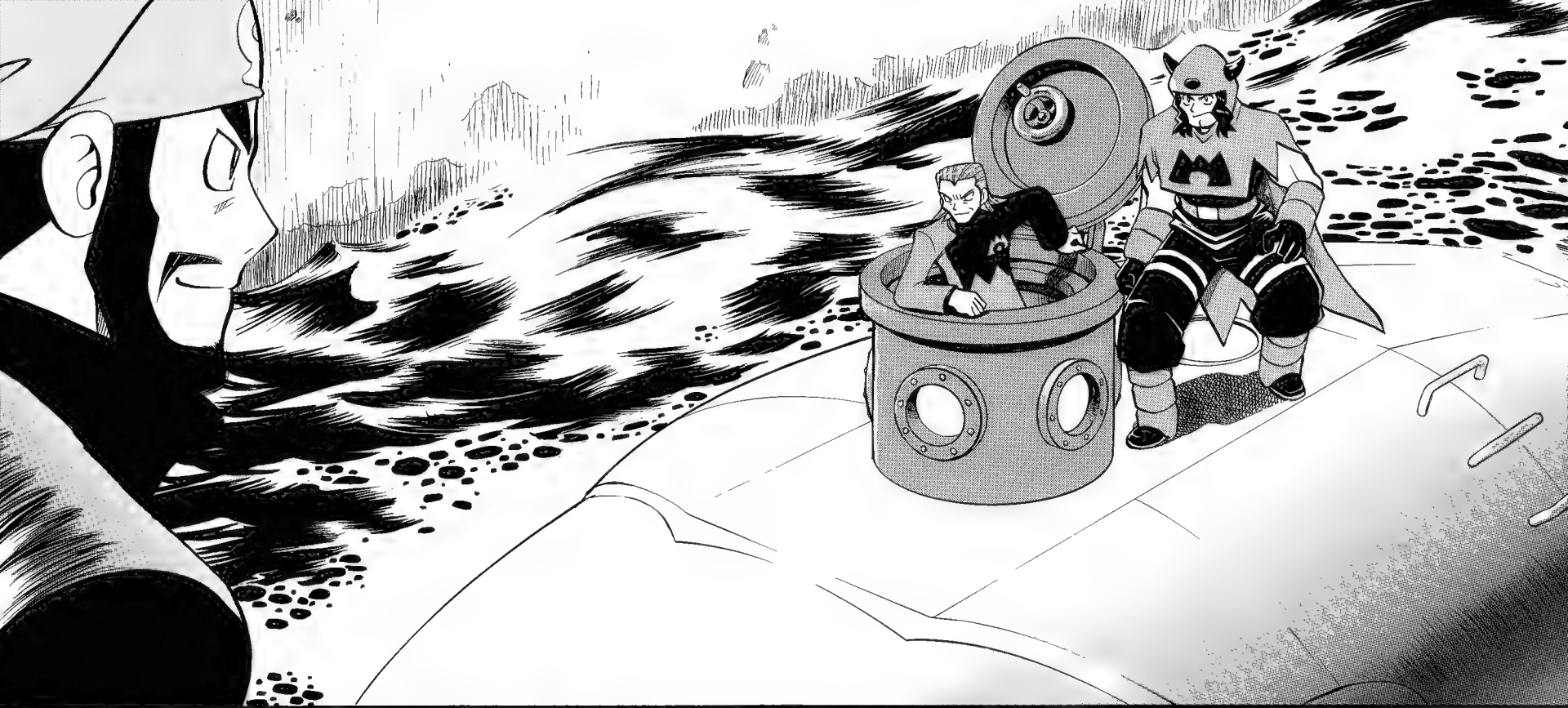
THE SEA
LEVEL IS
RISING
STEADILY



AH...
THEY'RE
HERE...

WONDERFUL!





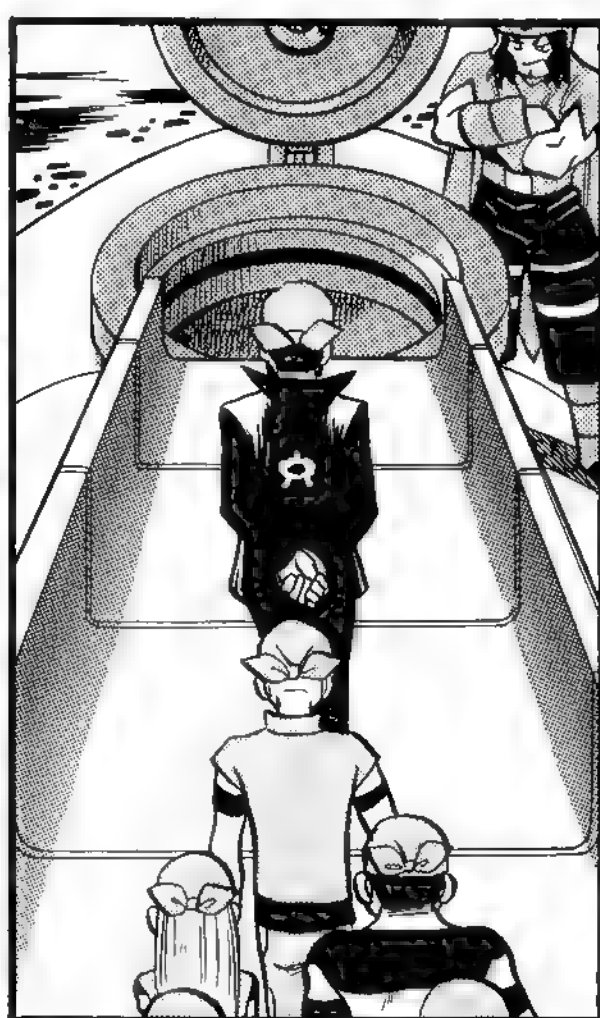
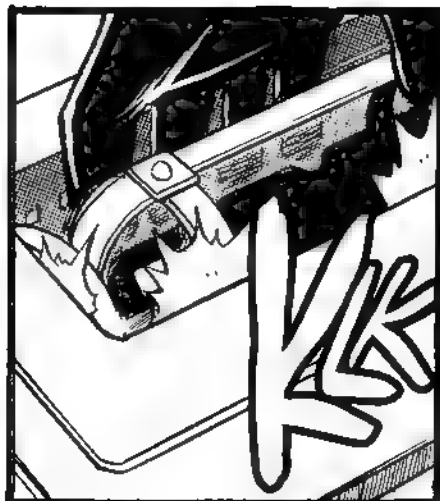
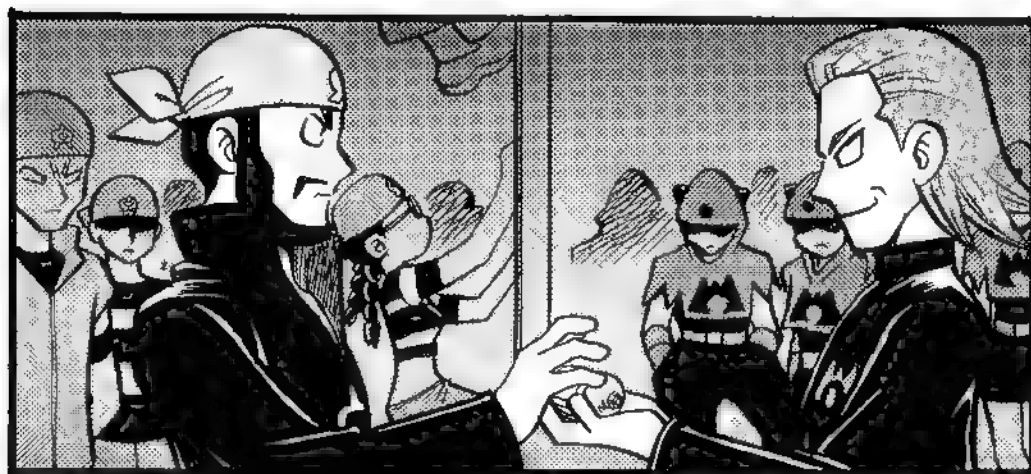


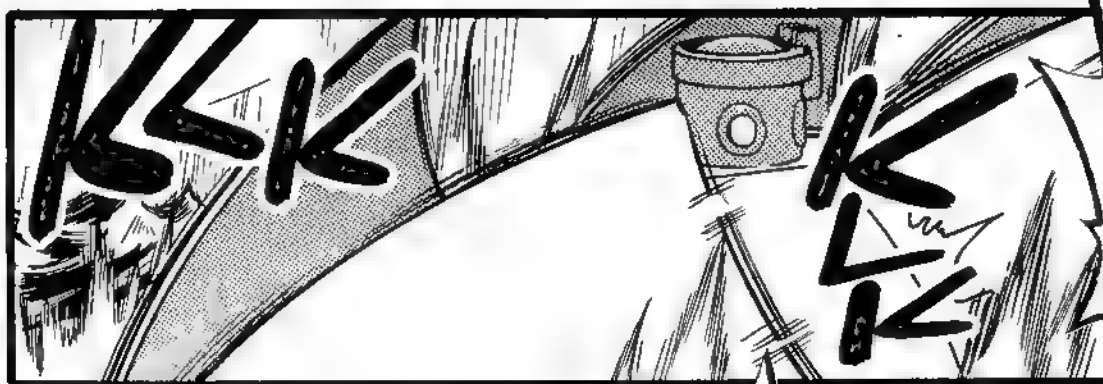
YOU HAVE
LET ME
DOWN!
I'LL DECIDE
HOW TO
PUNISH YOU
LATER.

BUT NOW
I'M TAKING
AMBER WITH
ME TO THE
SEAFLOOR
CAVERN
INSTEAD
OF YOU.



IT HAS
NOTHING TO
DO WITH THAT!
I'M TALKING
ABOUT YOUR
FAILURE AT
MT.
CHIMNEY!





SPECIAL
DEVICE
ACTIVATED!
SUBMARINE
SET TO
DEEP-SEA
MODE!!





HALF OF THE CITY HAS BEEN SUB-MERGED!

I CAN'T BELIEVE THIS!

I DIDN'T SEE ANYTHING ABOUT THIS ON THE NEWS YESTERDAY...

OH NO !!

AH !!

THE SITUATION MIGHT BE MORE DIRE THAN WE GYM LEADERS REALIZE...

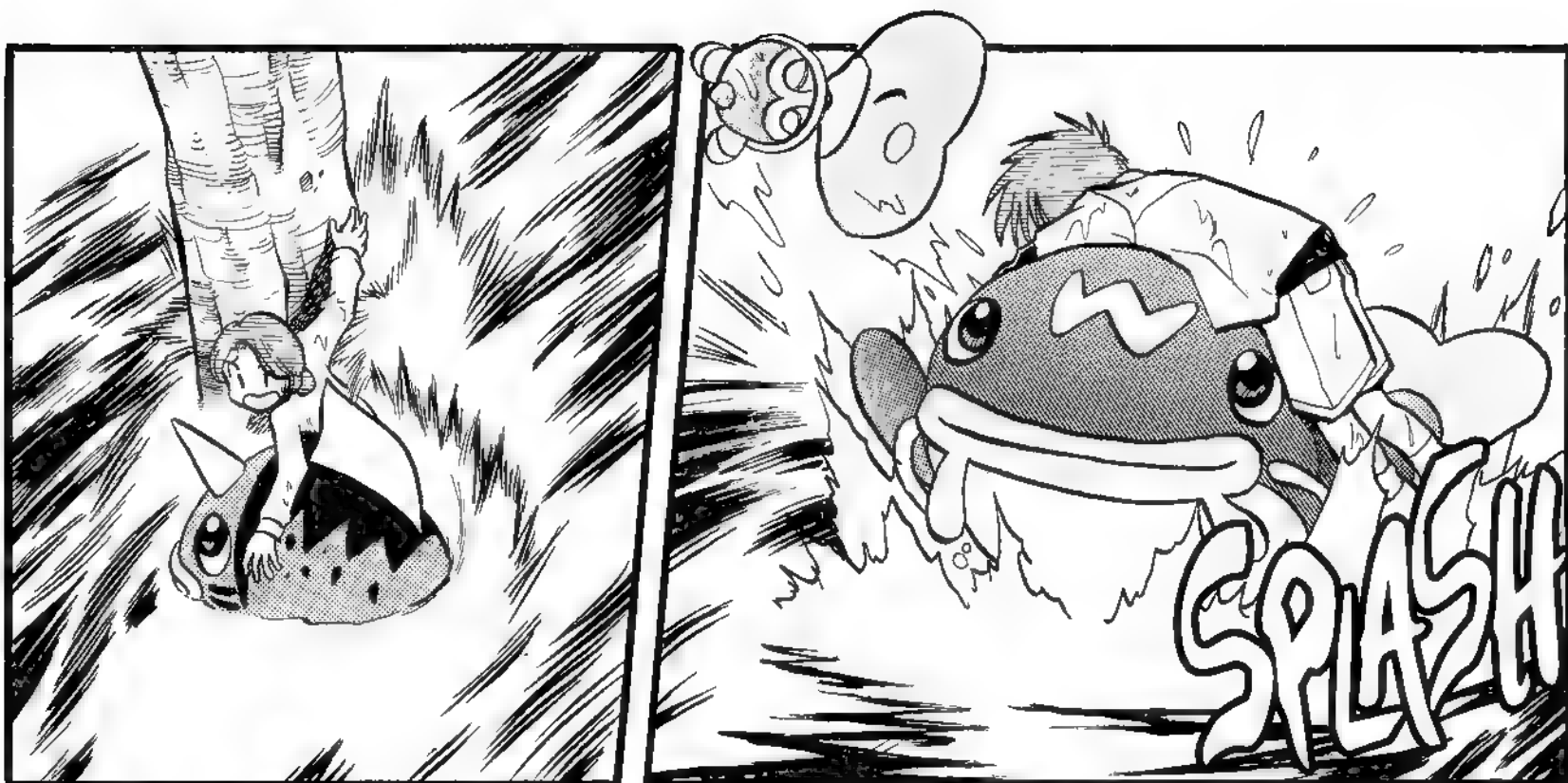
BUT HOW COULD OUR CLIMATE CHANGE THIS DRAS-TICALLY IN JUST ONE NIGHT?!

THIS MUST BE A CONSE-QUENCE OF THE VOLCANIC ACTIVITY COMING TO A HALT.

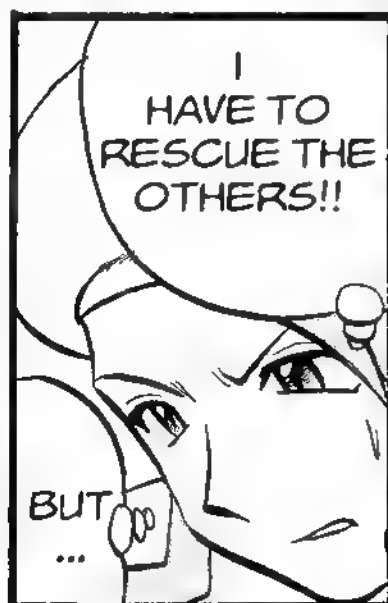
!!-NADOU-!!

!!-J-J-A-!!

DICK-JUS!!

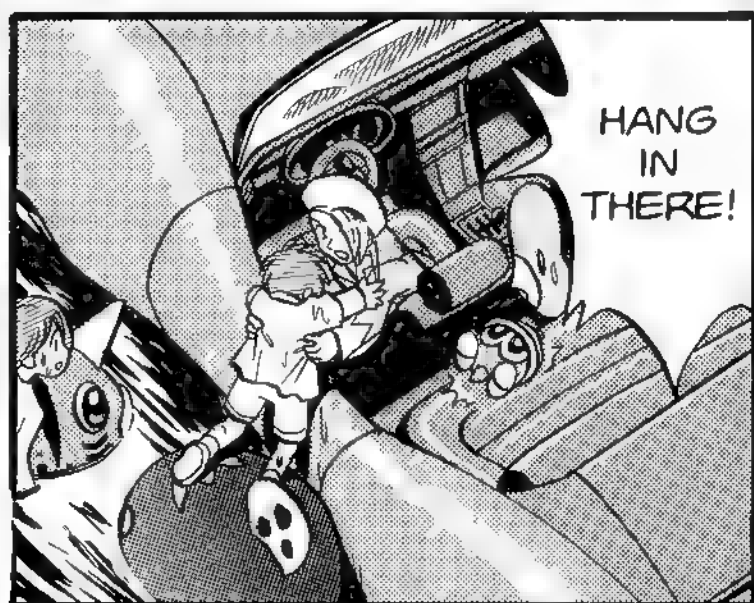


I
NEED TO
FIND RUBY
TOO...



I
HAVE TO
RESCUE THE
OTHERS!!

BUT
...



HANG
IN
THERE!



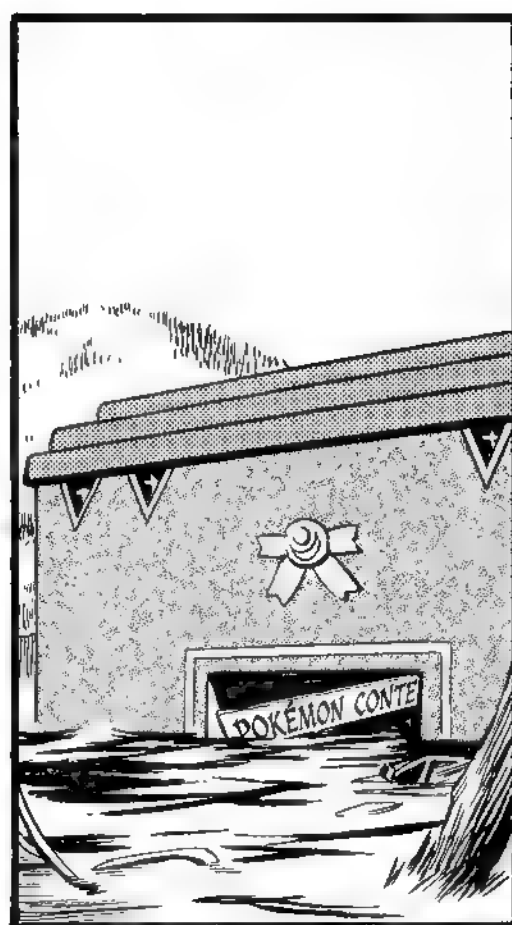
KEEP
YOUR
HEAD
ABOVE
WATER
!!

HEY
!!



HYPER
RANK
...
SPLASH

AND NOW!
ONCE AGAIN,
WE BEGIN
TODAY'S
SLATEPORT
CITY
POKÉMON
CONTEST.



POKÉ

AND I AM NOT GOING TO CANCEL ONE OVER A TRIFLE!

ESPECIALLY TODAY! THE 1,500TH SLATEPORT CITY POKÉMON CONTEST IS A MEMORABLE OCCASION!

I'VE BEEN AN MC FOR FIFTEEN YEARS! BICYCLE RACES, SURFING RACES... I'M THE PERFECT HOST FOR EVERY TYPE OF EVENT!!

WHAT'S THE PROBLEM?

WHAT ARE YOU THINKING? THIS IS NO TIME TO HOLD A POKÉMON CONTEST!

AND THEN I COULD PERSUADE HIM TO...
...FOLLOW MY BUSINESS PLAN TO CREATE A FEEBAS FARM.

THEY'RE ALL TOO BUSY TRYING NOT TO DROWN!

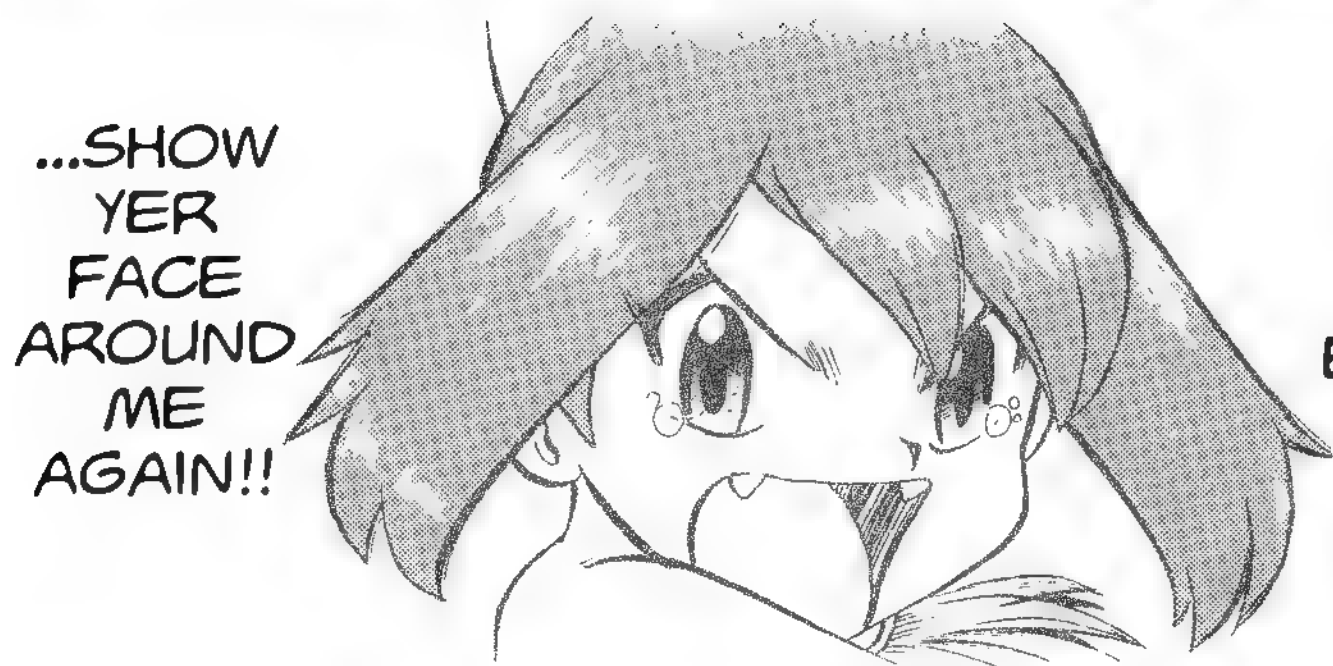
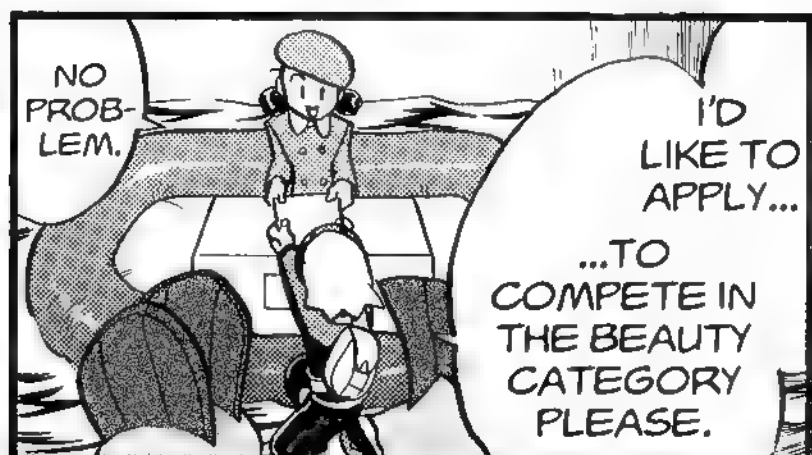
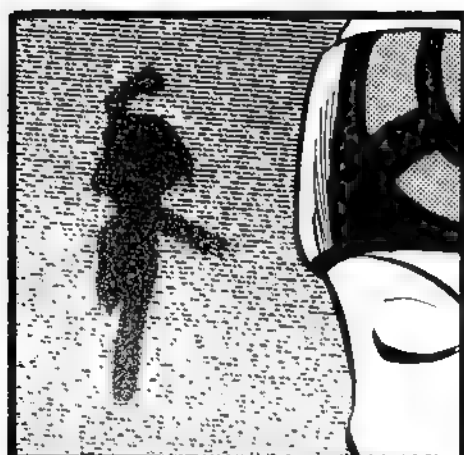
I THOUGHT I'D FIND THAT KID IN SLATEPORT CITY...

MEMORABLE, MY FOOT!!

CAN'T YOU SEE THERE AREN'T ANY PARTICIPANTS—OR AUDIENCE?!

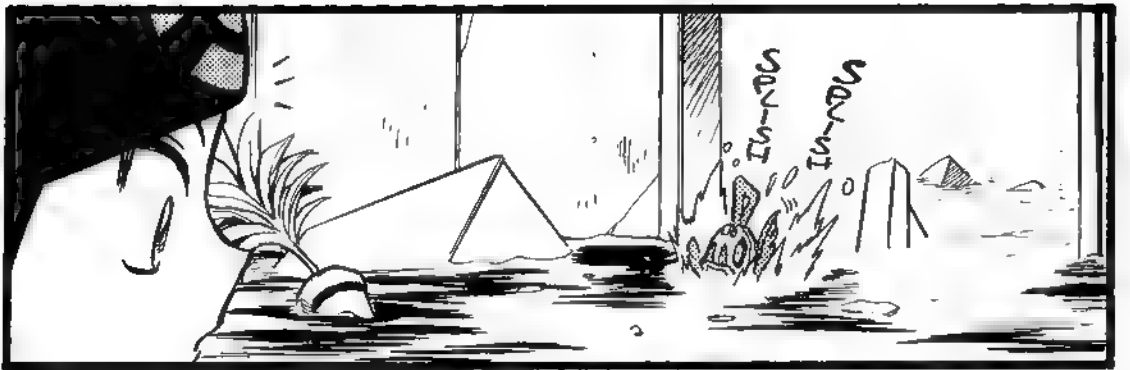
BUT HOW CAN I EXPECT HIM TO SHOW UP AT A HALF-SUBMERGED CONTEST HALL?!

WAIT... HE'S... HERE?!



DON'T YOU EVER...







BOTH OF OUR
VOTES WENT
TO THE OTHER
PARTICIPANT
WHO APPEARED
AT THE LAST
MINUTE!

WOW!

LAST-MINUTE
PARTICIPANT

LAST-MINUTE
PARTICIPANT

ANOTHER
PARTICI-
PANT?!
WHO?
WHEN
DID THEY
APPEAR?!

WHO
IS IT?!

THE WATER IS
POURING IN
THROUGH THE
WALL! I CAN'T SEE
MY OPPONENT'S
FACE!

RUBY HAS
FAILED TO
MAKE HIS
PRESENCE
FELT!!

OOOH!
THE LAST-
MINUTE
PARTICIPANT
IS INCRED-
IBLE!!

LAST-MINUTE
PARTICIPANT

LAST-MINUTE
PARTICIPANT

SURF
!!

WATER
PULSE
!!

SEC-
ONDARY
JUDGING!
APPEAL-
ING WITH
MOVES!!





I SHOULD
HAVE FOUND
A POKÉMON
BETTER
SUITED
FOR THIS
CONTEST
BEFORE
ENTERING
IT!!

I SHOULD
NEVER HAVE
LET YOU JOIN
MY TEAM IN
THE FIRST
PLACE!!

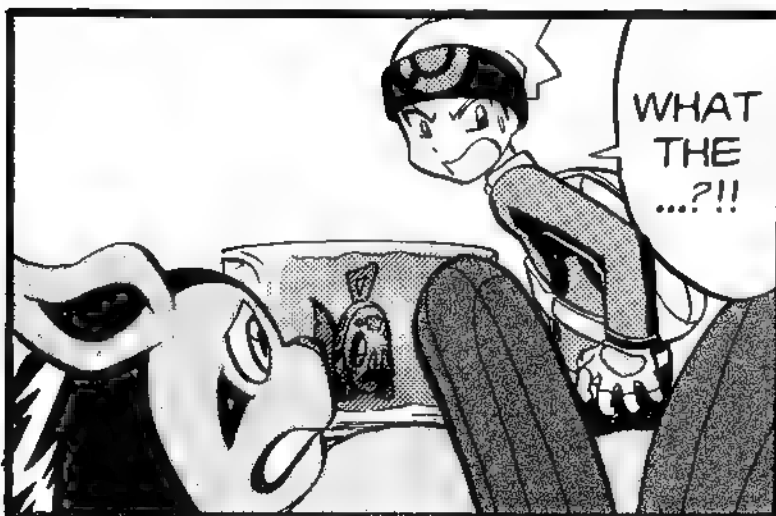


WHAT THE...?!
WHAT'S GOING
ON?! THERE
ARE ONLY TWO
PARTICIPANTS!
WHY CAN'T YOU
WIN OVER THE
JUDGES?!

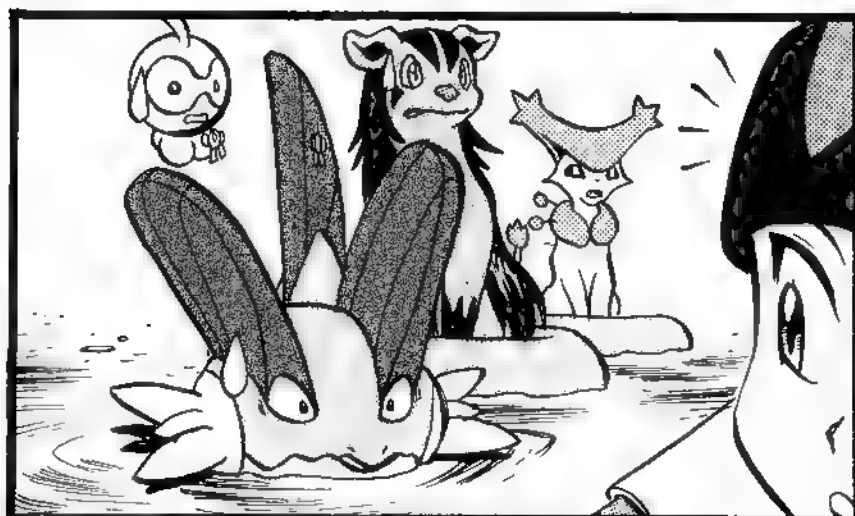
WHAT
ARE YOU
DOING,
FEEFEE
?!

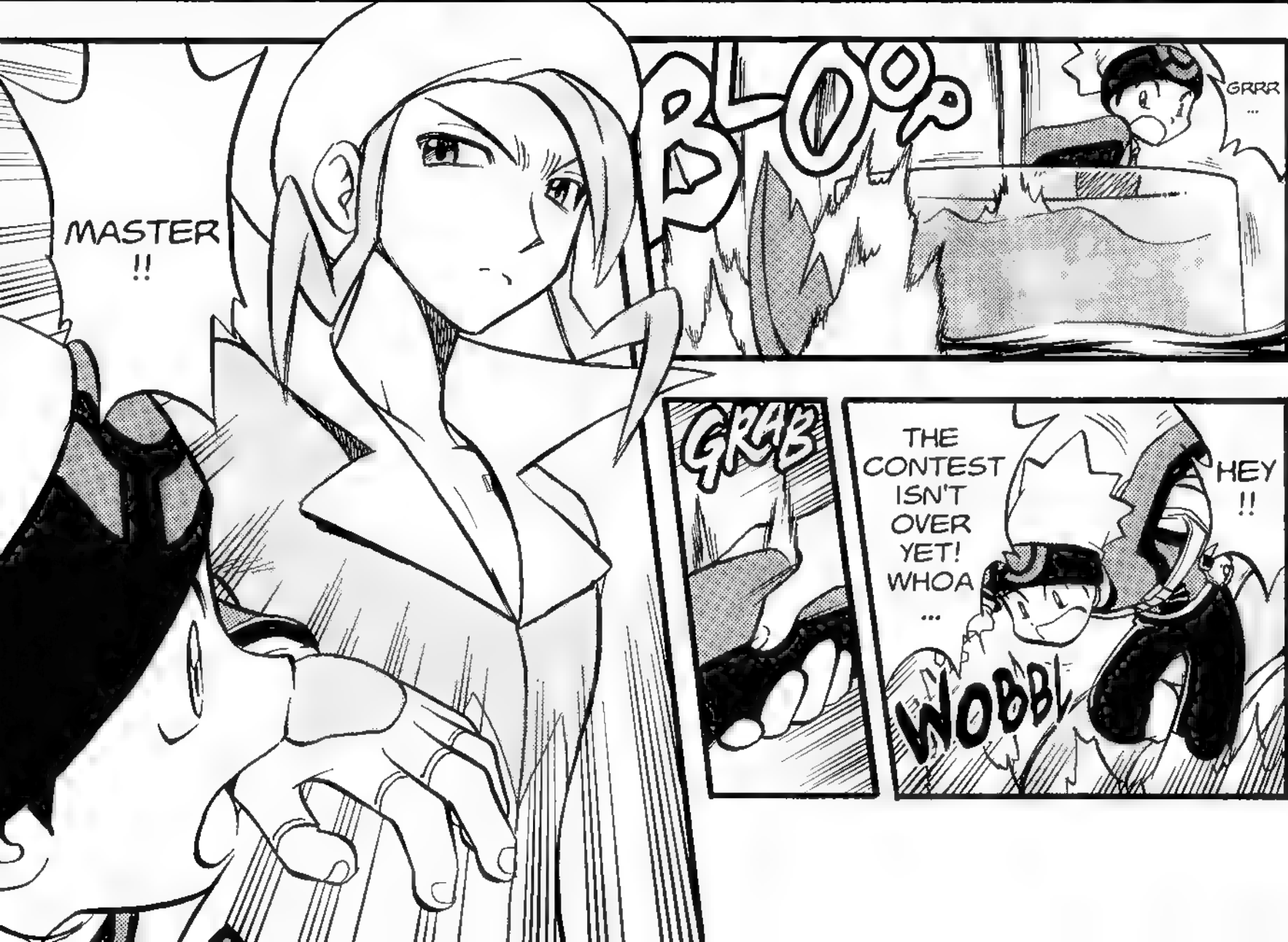


LIKE
THIS
POKÉMON,
FOR
EXAMPLE
!!



WHAT
THE
...?!!

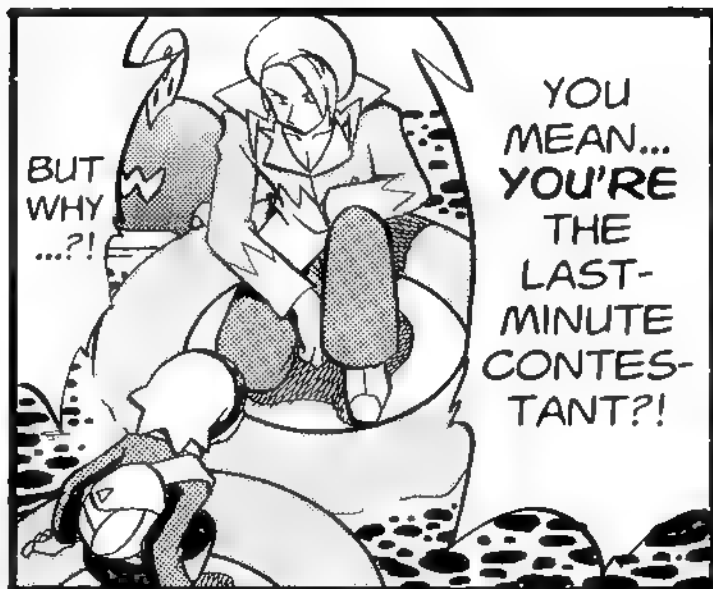






YOU FOLLOWED
ME ALL
THE WAY
HERE
JUST TO
MAKE
ME LOOK
FOOLISH
?!

I DON'T
GET
IT!



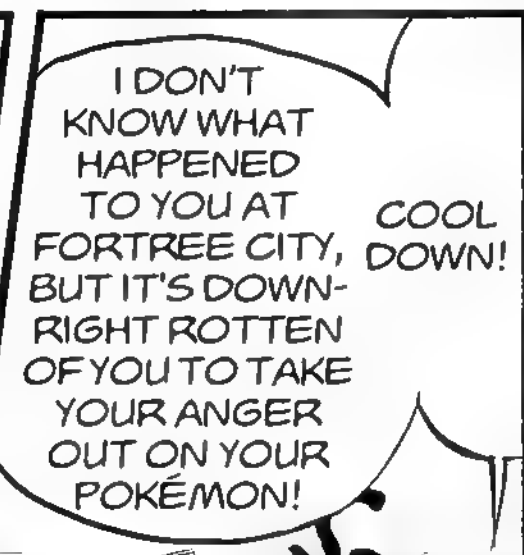
BUT
WHY
...?!

YOU
MEAN...
YOU'RE
THE
LAST-
MINUTE
CONTEST-
TANT?!



...TO
BLAME YOUR
POKÉMON FOR
YOUR OWN
LACK OF SKILL
AS A TRAINER!
ABSOLUTELY
UNCONSCIO-
NABLE!

AND
OF ALL
THINGS
...



I DON'T
KNOW WHAT
HAPPENED
TO YOU AT
FORTREE CITY,
BUT IT'S DOWN-
RIGHT ROTTEN
OF YOU TO TAKE
YOUR ANGER
OUT ON YOUR
POKÉMON!

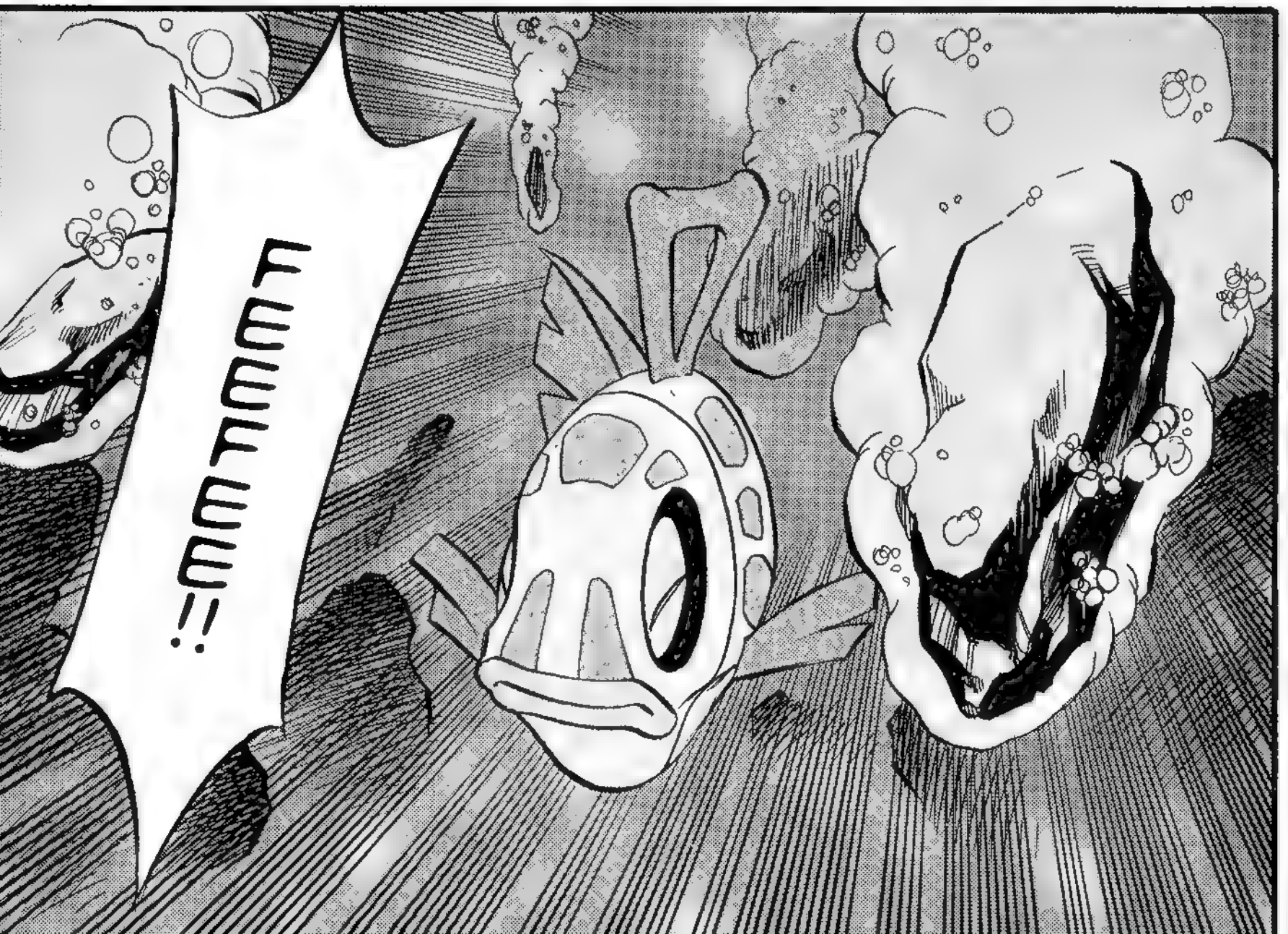
COOL
DOWN!



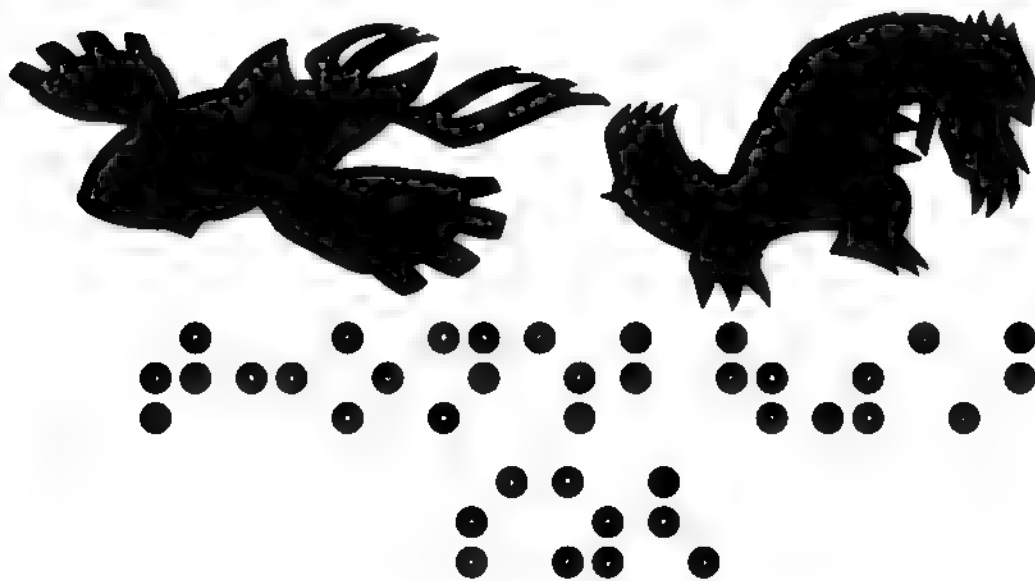
...
ENTERING
AND
WINNING
CON-
TESTS?

BESIDES,
ISN'T THERE
SOMETHING
YOU OUGHT
TO BE
TAKING
CARE OF...
...INSTEAD OF
COMPLAINING
AND...



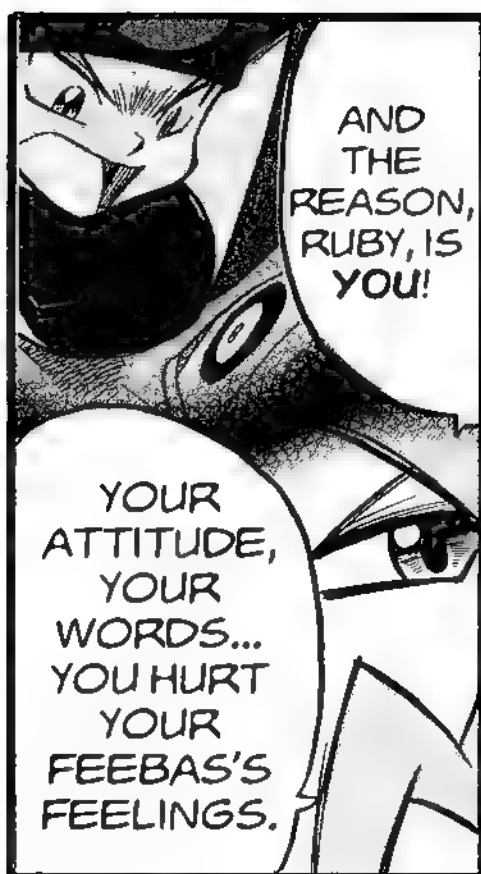


● Chapter 233 ●
**The Beginning of the End with
Kyogre & Groudon I**



The Fourth Chapter





AND
THE
REASON,
RUBY, IS
YOU!

YOUR
ATTITUDE,
YOUR
WORDS...
YOU HURT
YOUR
FEEBAS'S
FEELINGS.



LOOKS
LIKE IT
WON'T
EVER
COME
BACK TO
YOU.



...THE TIME
YOU AND I HAD
AN OUTDOOR
CONTEST AT
FALLARBOR
TOWN.

REMEMBER
...



WASN'T
YOUR FEEBAS
REPRESENTING
THE BEAUTY
CATEGORY
IN YOUR
PREVIOUS
CONTESTS?!

I
DON'T
THINK
FEEFEE
IS GOOD
ENOUGH
...

YOU
CHALLENGED
ME IN THE
BEAUTY
CATEGORY
BUT YOU
DIDN'T USE
YOUR
FEEBAS!



BUT
THEN
AGAIN,
THAT'S
NOTHING
NEW.



BUT YOU
DIDN'T
NOTICE
BECAUSE
YOU WERE
TOO BUSY
WORRYING
ABOUT
YOUR COM-
PETITION
WITH ME.

YOUR
MARSHTOMP
SAW IT BEFORE
ANYBODY ELSE,
AND IT WAS
TRYING TO TELL
YOU ABOUT IT,
YOU KNOW!

AND
IT'S NOT
JUST YOUR
ATTITUDE
TOWARDS
YOUR
FEEBAS!
THAT SMALL
FIRE AT THE
CONTEST
HALL...



WHY WON'T
YOU PAY
ATTENTION
TO WHAT
THEY'RE
TRYING TO
COMMUNICATE TO
YOU?

WHY
DON'T YOU
TRUST
YOUR
POKÉMON
?!



A
TRAINER
LIKE THAT
WILL NEVER
BECOME
THE
CHAMPION
OF
BEAUTY!!

BECAUSE
YOU ONLY
THINK
ABOUT
YOURSELF,
RUBY!!

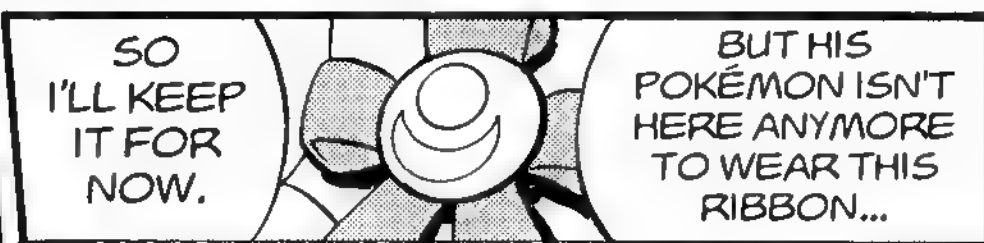
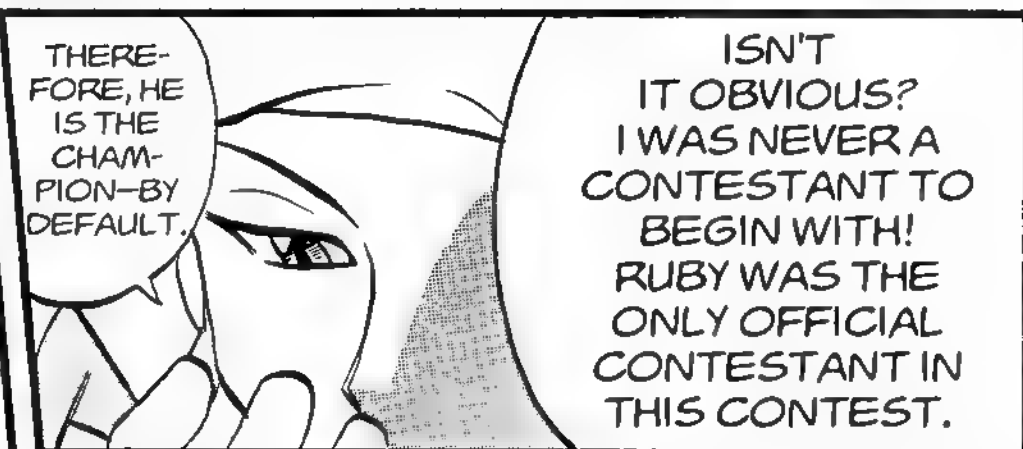
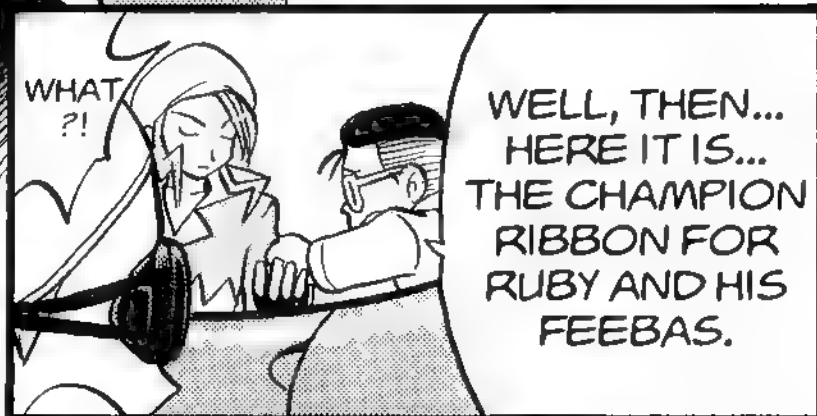


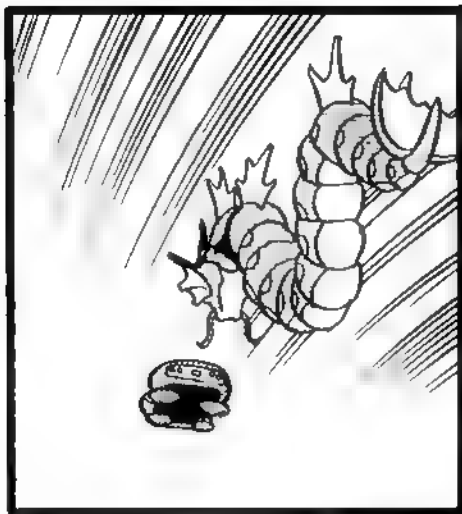
I
DON'T
THINK...
THE KID
CAN HEAR
YOU
ANYMORE
...



I
UNDERSTAND
YOU'VE GOT
A LOT TO SAY,
BUT...

HEY,
MASTER-
OR WHAT-
EVER...





COME WITH ME, MR. SWIMMER!

Tch...

THERE ARE STILL A LOT OF PEOPLE WHO NEED TO BE HELPED OUT OF THE WATER. I'LL TAKE RUBY TO THE FIRST-AID CENTER AND GET BACK TO RESCUING THEM.

...

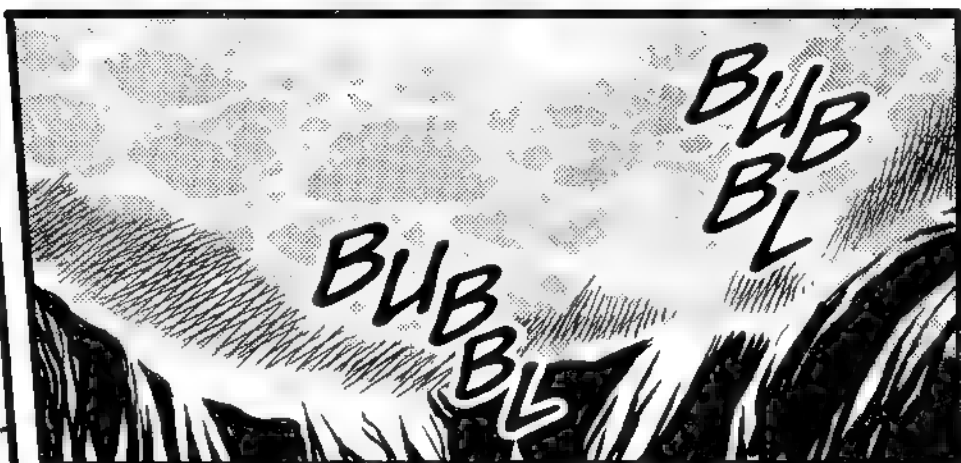
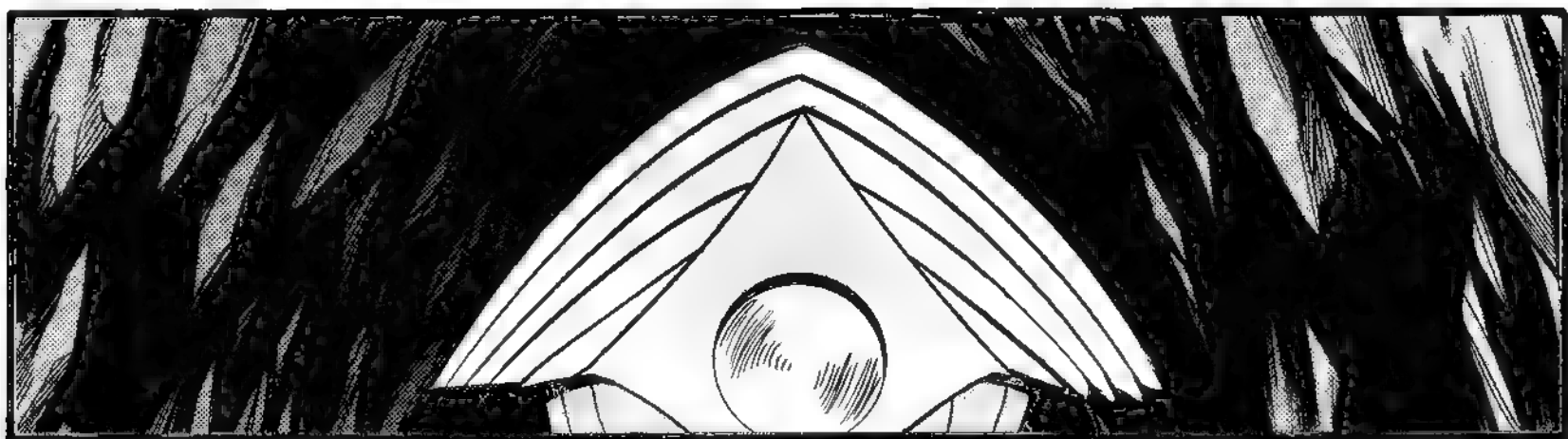
I HOPE THIS IS A CRITICAL TURNING POINT FOR YOU!!

RUBY...

I'M SORRY...

I'M... SORRY... I'M... SO...RRY...

I'M SORRY...





THE
SEA-
FLOOR
CAVERN
!!

OOH!
SO
THIS
IS—



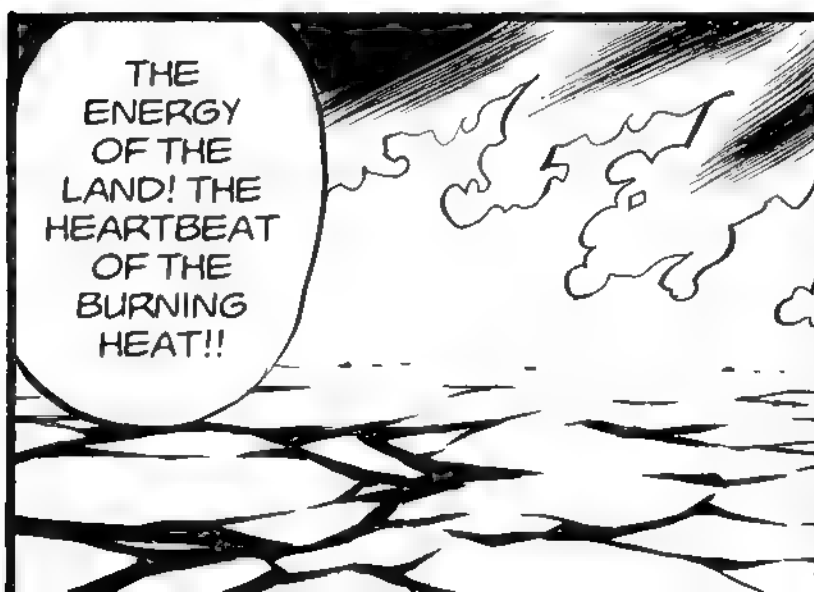
I CAN
ALREADY
...

...FEEL
IT AS I
STAND
HERE!!



FANTASTIC!
WE'VE SET
FOOT IN THE
DEEPEST PART
OF THE OCEAN
WHERE NO
ONE HAS GONE
BEFORE!

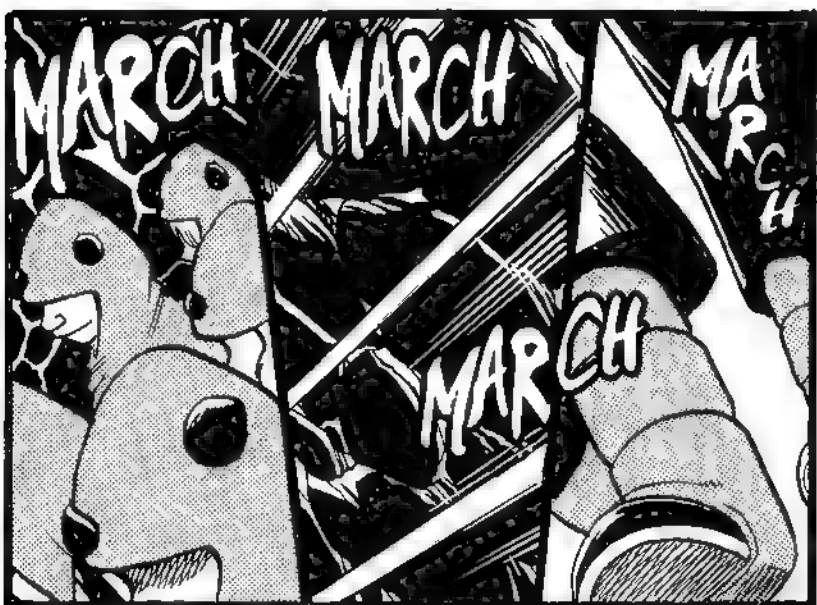
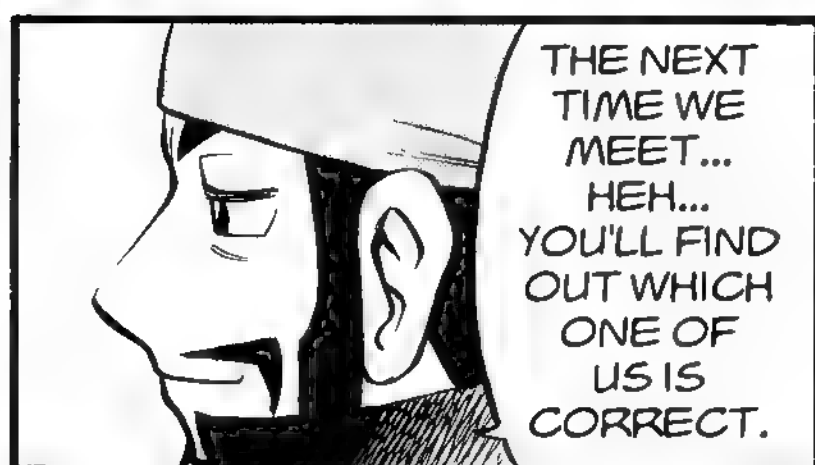
I TAKE MY HAT
OFF TO CAPTAIN
STERN AND
THE DEVON
CORPORATION'S
TECHNOLOGI-
CAL PROWESS!!



THE
ENERGY
OF THE
LAND! THE
HEARTBEAT
OF THE
BURNING
HEAT!!



THE
ENERGY
OF THE
SEA! THE
HEART-
BEAT
OF THE
POURING
RAIN!





WE
FOUND
IT!!



AAH
!!



ARISE,
KYO GRE
!!

AAH
!!

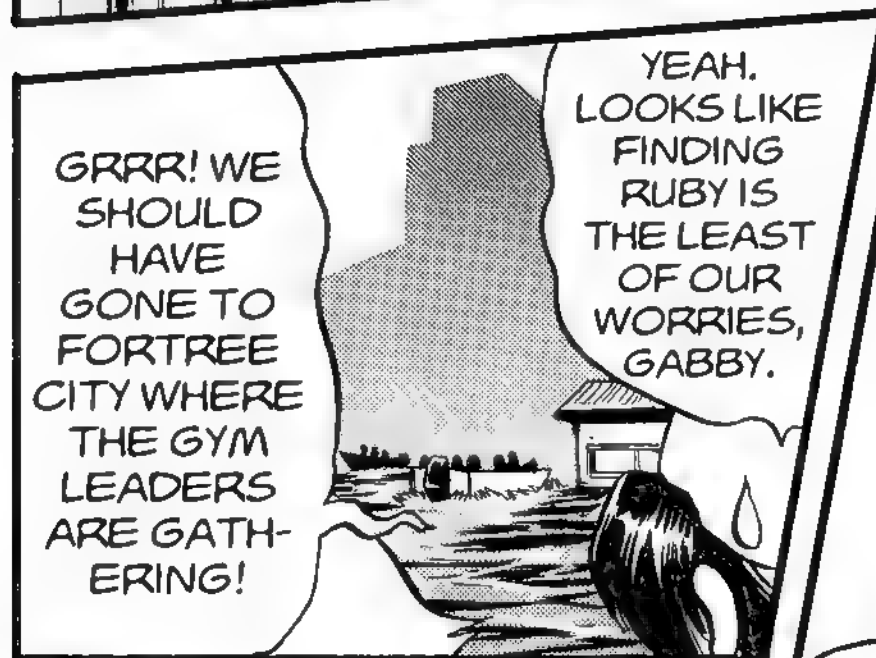
WE
FOUND
IT!!

WAKE UP,
GROUDON
!!

TH
BOOM

TH
BOOM

TH
BOOM



GRRR! WE SHOULD HAVE GONE TO FORTREE CITY WHERE THE GYM LEADERS ARE GATHERING!

YEAH. LOOKS LIKE FINDING RUBY IS THE LEAST OF OUR WORRIES, GABBY.



I don't think we'll be able to make it to Fortree City like this...

WHAT DO YOU THINK? SHOULD WE CHANGE COURSE?



HUF, HUF! I CAN'T BELIEVE THIS!

WE CAME TO SLATEPORT CITY HOPING TO RUN INTO RUBY... BUT WE NEVER EXPECTED SOMETHING LIKE THIS!!



LOOK!
THERE
HE IS!!



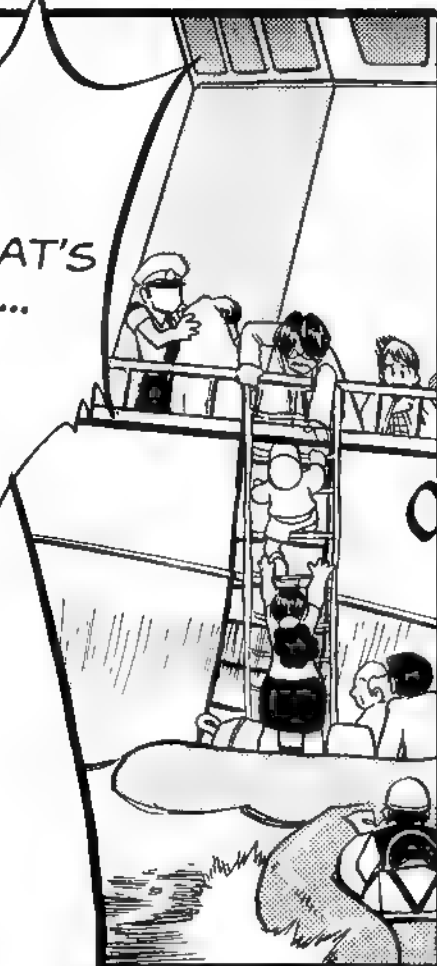
WHO
?

HOLD ON, TY!
THERE'S SOME-
ONE ELSE WE
HAVE TO MEET IN
SLATEPORT CITY,
REMEMBER?



...CAPTAIN
STERN!!

THAT'S
...



ARE
YOU ALL
RIGHT,
CAPTAIN
STERN
?!

KOFF
KOFF

AS YOU
CAN SEE...
SLATEPORT
CITY IS IN A
TERRIBLE
STATE...



OH...
IT'S
YOU
TWO...

PITIPITIPIT

CAPTAIN
!!



DOCK'S
SYMPTOMS
ARE
WORSE.
HE'S STILL
IN THE
HOSPITAL.

KOFF
KOFF

PANT PANT...
I'M HAVING
SOME DIFFICULTY
BREATHING EVERY
NOW AND THEN.
PROBABLY JUST A
LITTLE SMOKE INHA-
LATION FROM WHEN
THE SUBMARINE WAS
STOLEN.



OH,
I'M NOT
HERE TO
INTERVIEW
YOU TODAY!

SORRY, I
DON'T HAVE
TIME FOR AN
INTERVIEW AT
THE MOMENT.
THINGS ARE
MUCH TOO
CHAOTIC
AROUND
HERE.

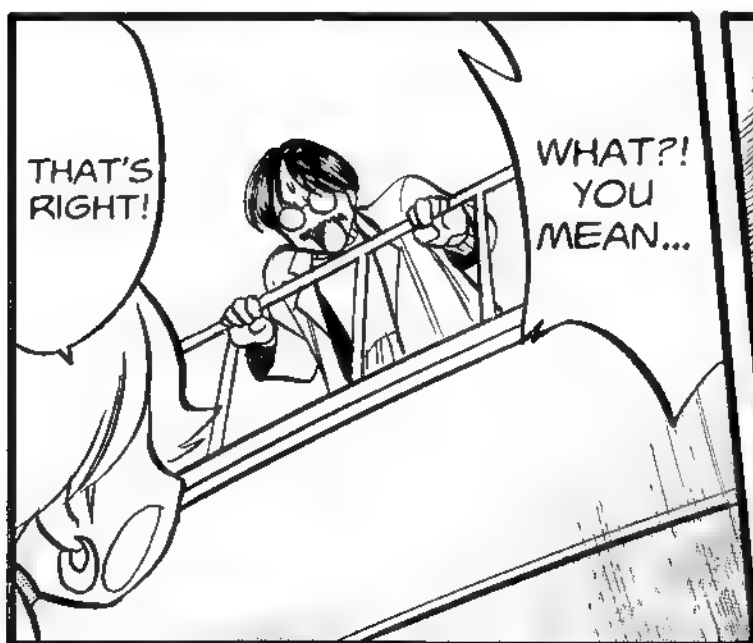


...AND
THE
GROUP IN
THE BLUE
UNIFORM
WHO
STOLE
THAT
SPECIAL
DEVICE...

THE
GROUP IN
THE RED
UNIFORM
WHO
STOLE
THE SUB-
MARINE...



I JUST
WANTED
TO ASK
YOU FOR...
SOME
ADVICE.



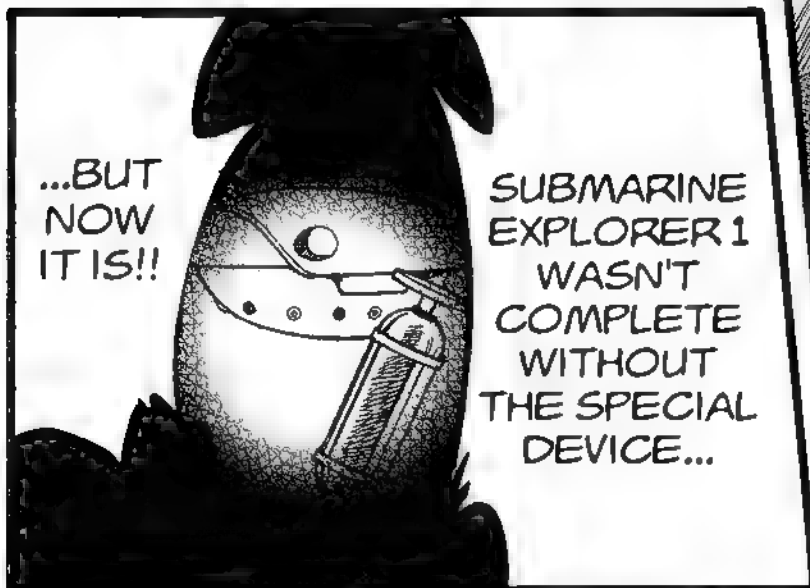
THAT'S
RIGHT!

WHAT?!
YOU
MEAN...



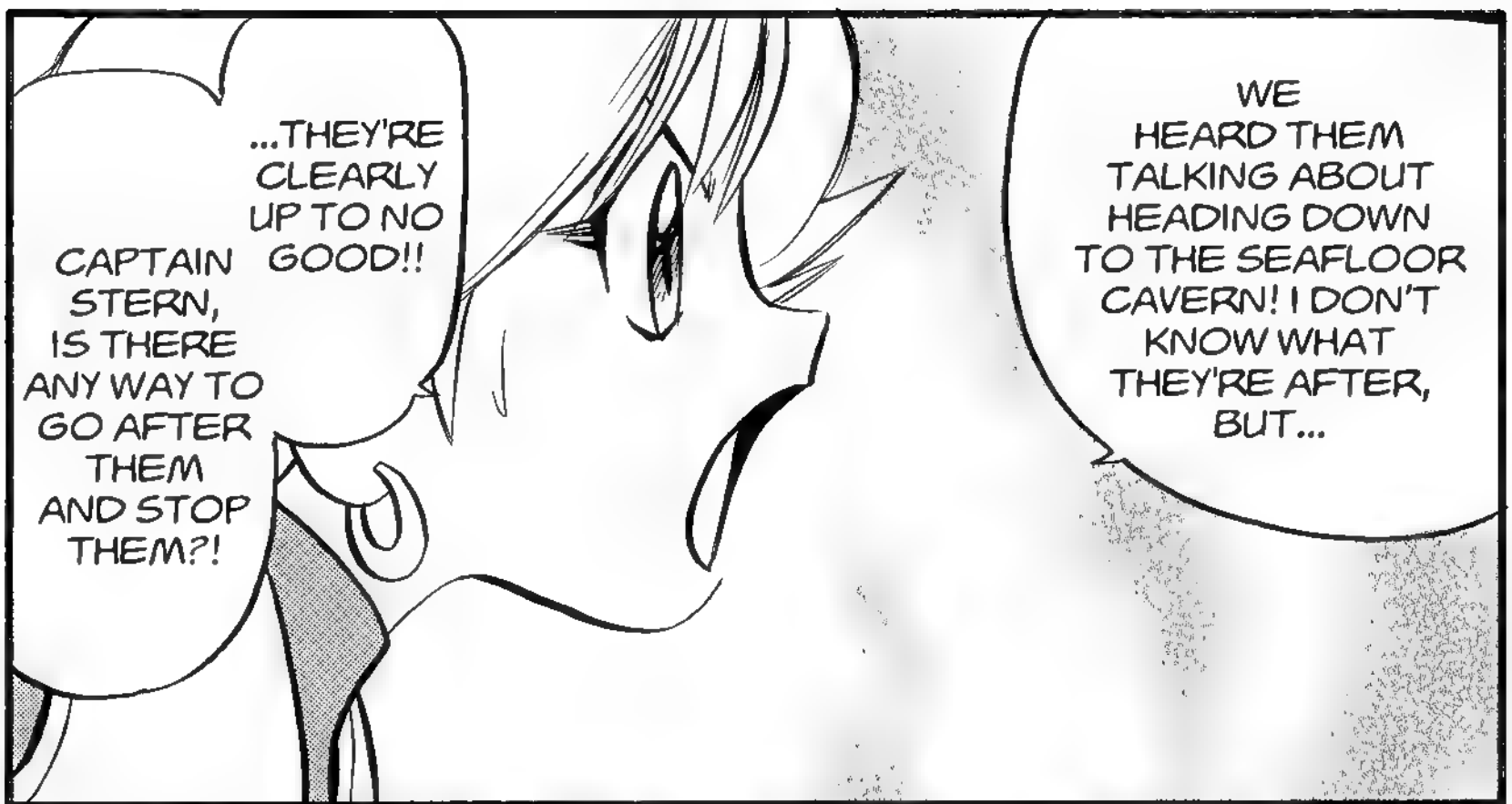
...THEY
TEAMED
UP!!

THESE TWO
ORGANI-
ZATIONS
SEEMED
TO BE IN
OPPOSITION...
BUT LAST
NIGHT...



...BUT
NOW
IT IS!!

SUBMARINE
EXPLORER 1
WASN'T
COMPLETE
WITHOUT
THE SPECIAL
DEVICE...



...THEY'RE
CLEARLY
UP TO NO
GOOD!!
CAPTAIN
STERN,
IS THERE
ANY WAY TO
GO AFTER
THEM
AND STOP
THEM?!

WE
HEARD THEM
TALKING ABOUT
HEADING DOWN
TO THE SEAFLOOR
CAVERN! I DON'T
KNOW WHAT
THEY'RE AFTER,
BUT...



IF YOU'RE
RIGHT AND
THOSE TWO
TEAMS ARE
HEADING FOR
THE SEAFLOOR
CAVERN...

NO...



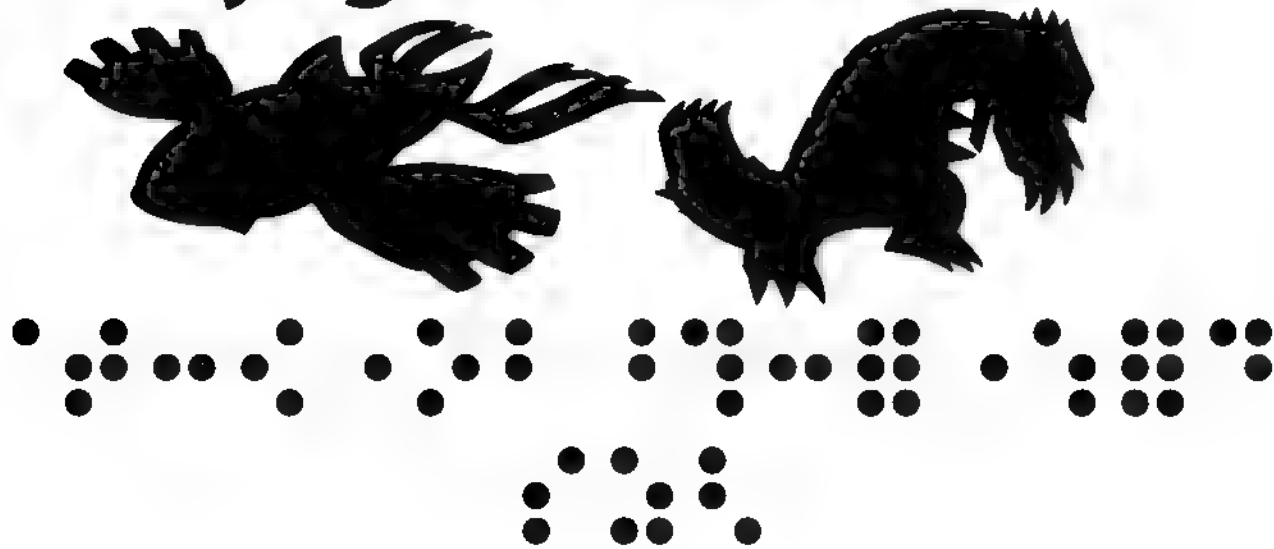
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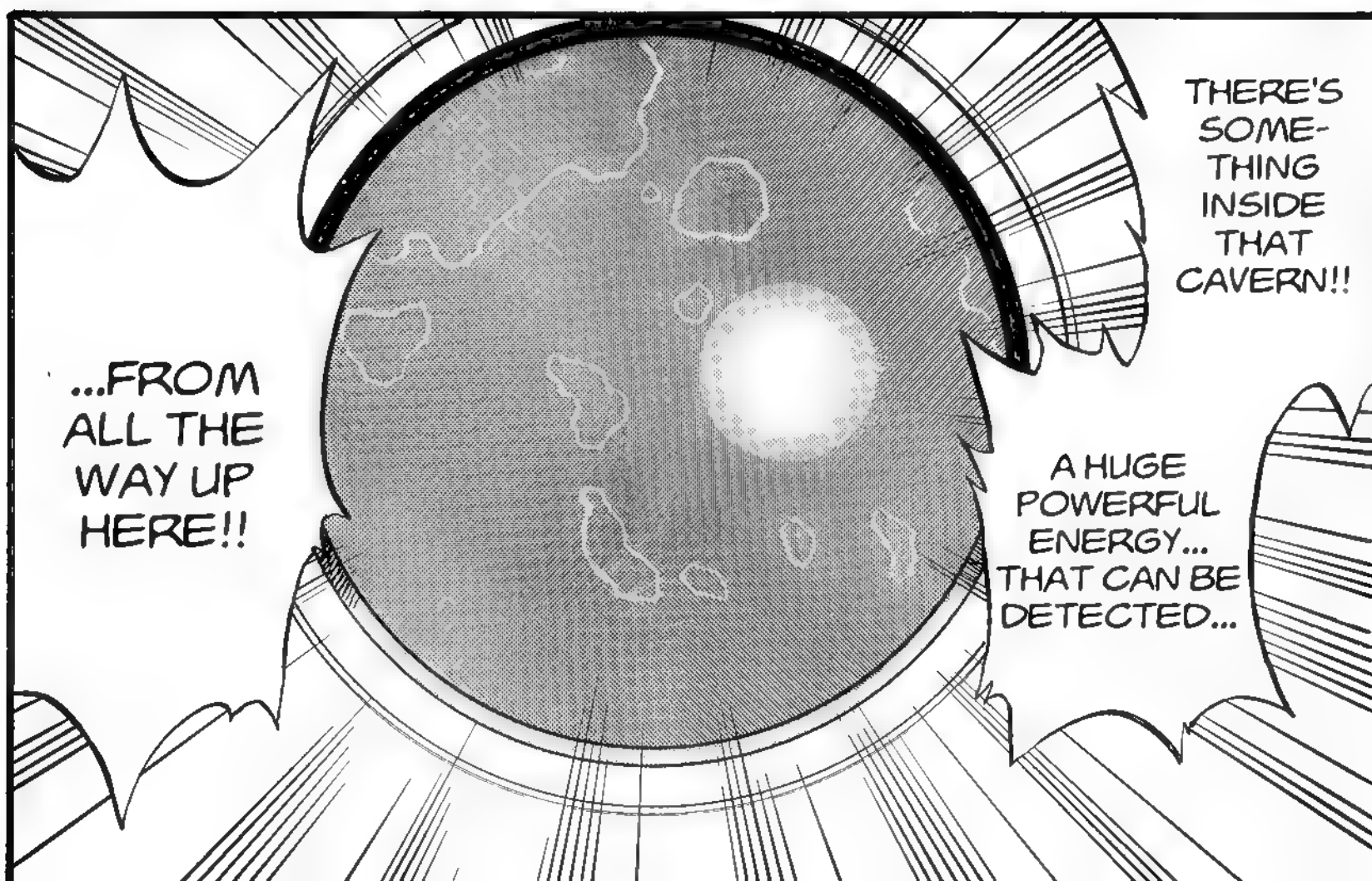
THERE'S
ABSOLUTELY
NO WAY TO
FOLLOW THEM
THERE!!

IT'S AT
THE VERY
BOTTOM
OF THE
OCEAN.

● Chapter 234 ●
**The Beginning of the End with
Kyogre & Groudon II**



The Fourth Chapter

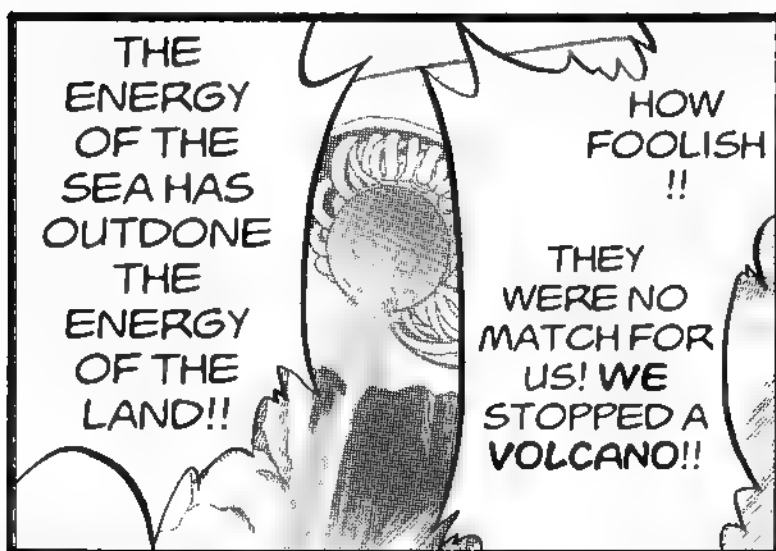






AND
BEFORE
TEAM
MAGMA
WOKE UP
GROUDON!!

WE...
DID
IT!
WE'VE
MANAGED
TO AWAKEN
KYOURE!!



THE
ENERGY
OF THE
SEA HAS
OUTDONE
THE
ENERGY
OF THE
LAND!!

HOW
FOOLISH
!!

THEY
WERE NO
MATCH FOR
US! WE
STOPPED A
VOLCANO!!



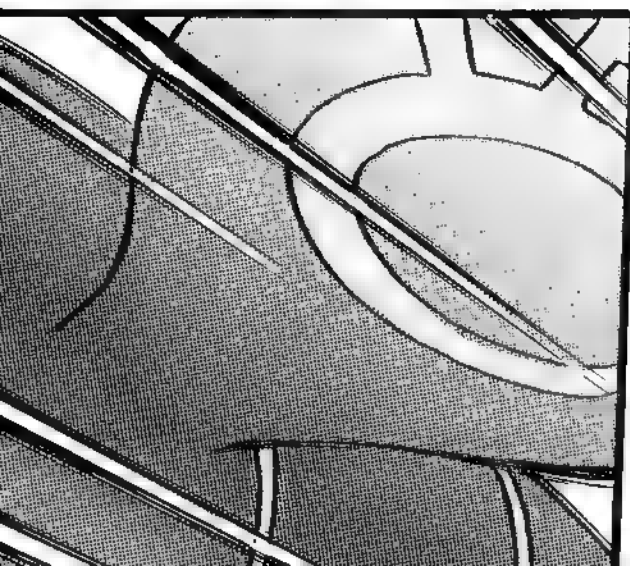
THEY MUST
HAVE CAUSED
ALL THOSE
RECENT
EARTHQUAKES
IN HOPES
OF STIRRING
IT FROM ITS
SLUMBER.

HA HA...
TEAM
MAGMA
IS TRYING
EVERYTHING
IT CAN
THINK OF
TO AWAKEN
GROUDON!



WE'VE
WON!!

IF THE TWO
POKÉMON ARE
EQUAL—AS THE
LEGEND SAYS—
THEN THE ONE
WHO AWAKENS
FIRST HAS THE
ADVANTAGE!





WHAT
THE...?

WH...

DATA ROOM

FOR-
TREE
CITY
...



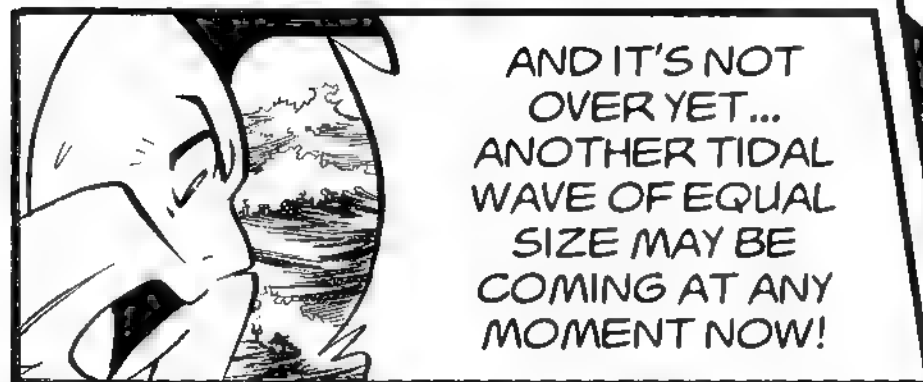
LITTLE-
ROOT
TOWN
TOO...

SLATE-
PORT
CITY...

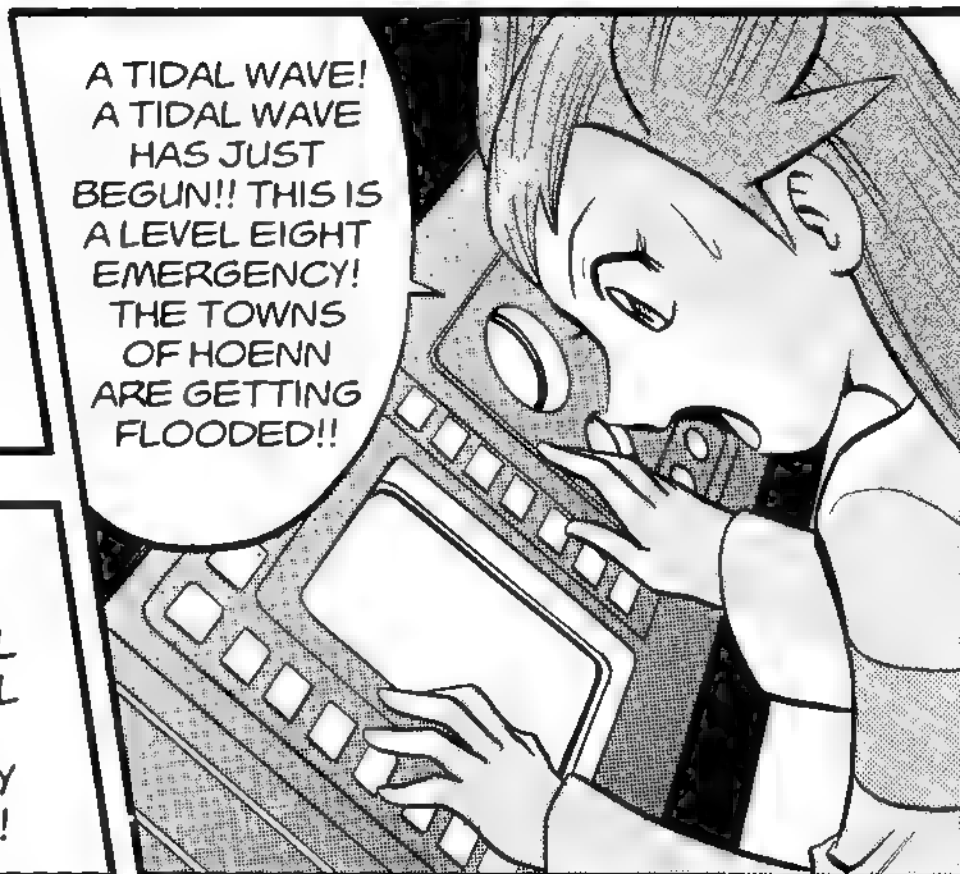
DEW-
FORD
TOWN
...



THIS IS NO
COINCIDENCE,
WINONA! THIS
IS BECAUSE
THE VOLCANO
STOPPED
WORKING!



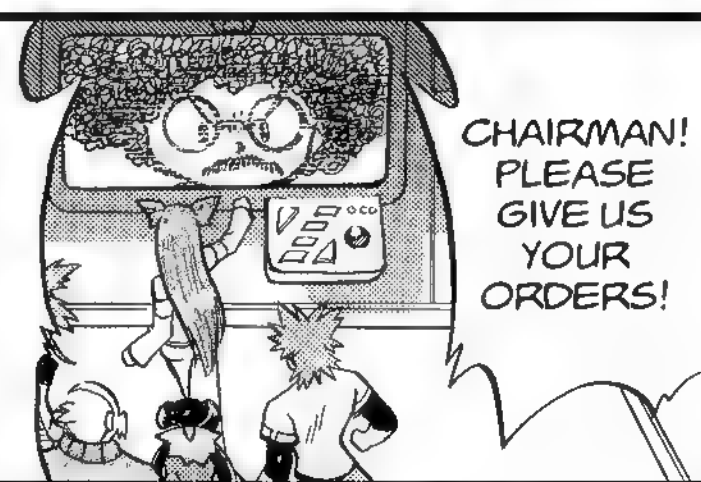
AND IT'S NOT
OVER YET...
ANOTHER TIDAL
WAVE OF EQUAL
SIZE MAY BE
COMING AT ANY
MOMENT NOW!



A TIDAL WAVE!
A TIDAL WAVE
HAS JUST
BEGUN!! THIS IS
A LEVEL EIGHT
EMERGENCY!
THE TOWNS
OF HOENN
ARE GETTING
FLOODED!!



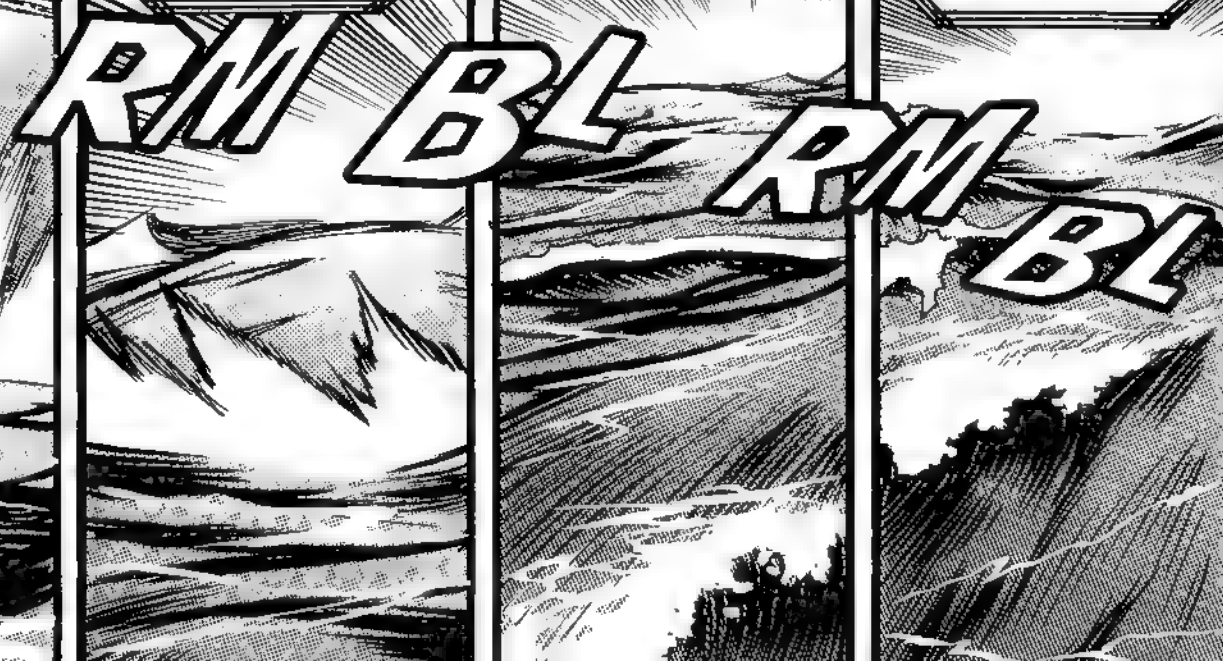
WE'RE THINKING OF SPLITTING UP SO AS TO COVER VARIOUS TOWNS AND AID IN THEIR RESCUE EFFORTS!



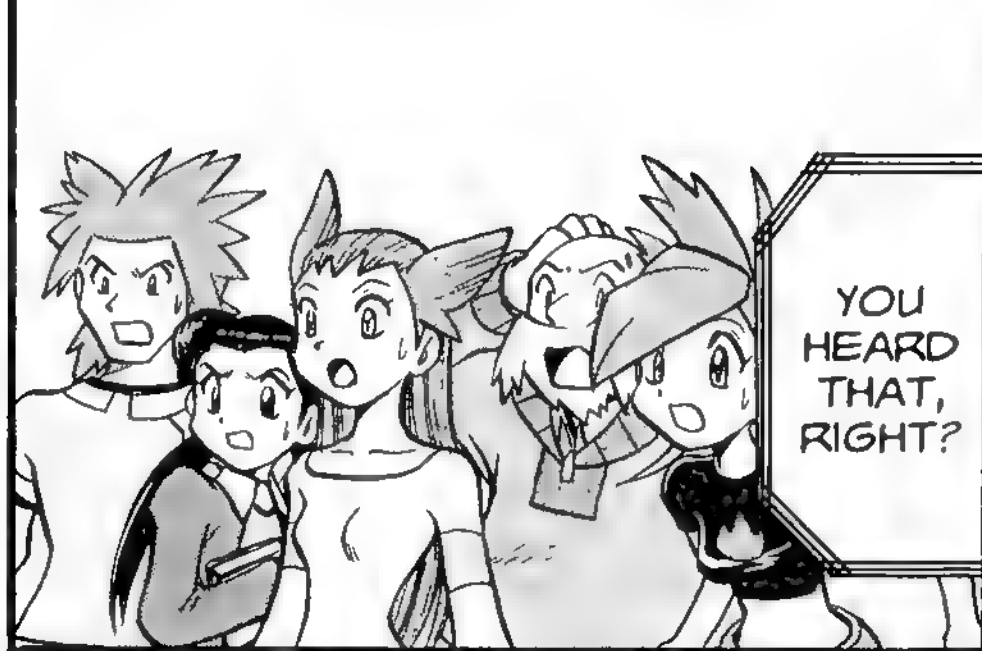
IT'S RESPONSIBLE FOR THAT TIDAL WAVE!

AND IT'S MOVING TOWARDS US AT AN INCREDIBLE SPEED!!

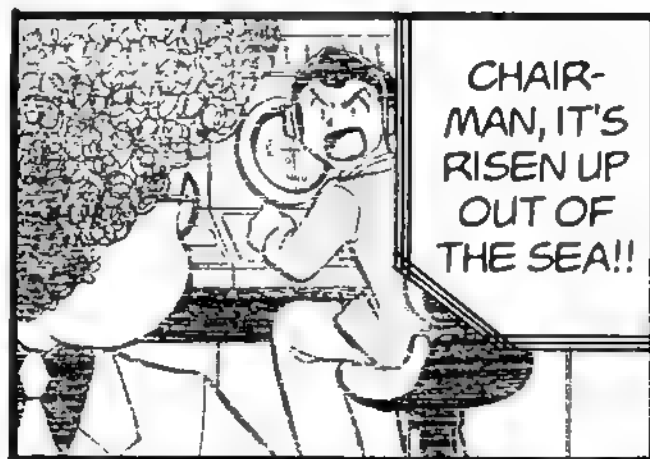
THE COMPUTER AT OUR HEAD-QUARTERS HAS DETECTED THE PRESENCE OF A POWERFUL LIFE FORM!







YOU
HEARD
THAT,
RIGHT?



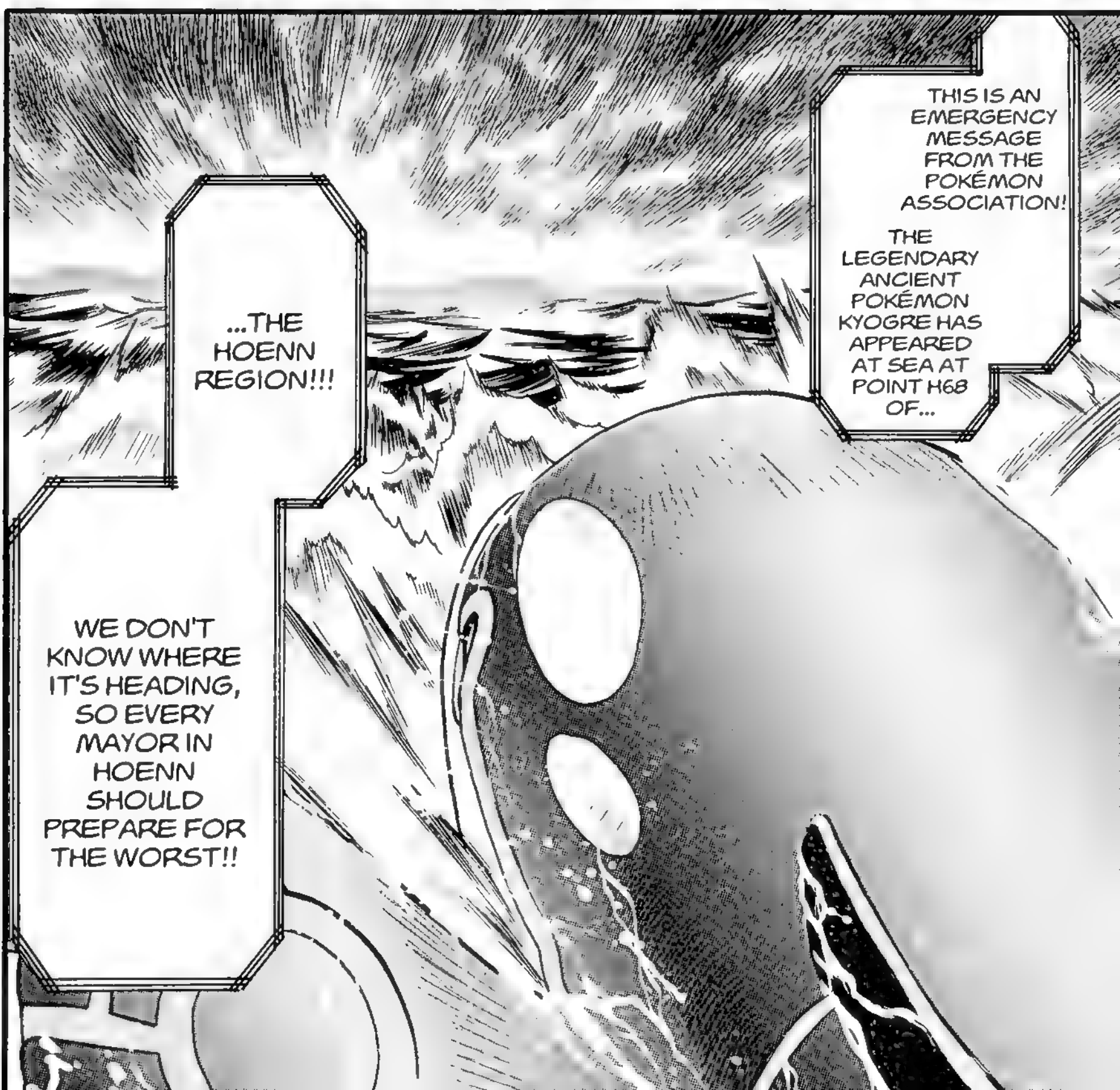
CHAIR-
MAN, IT'S
RISEN UP
OUT OF
THE SEA!!



YES
SIR!

WINONA!
CONTACT
ALL THE
TOWNS!

EMER-
GENCY
LEVEL
NINE!!



...THE
HOENN
REGION!!!

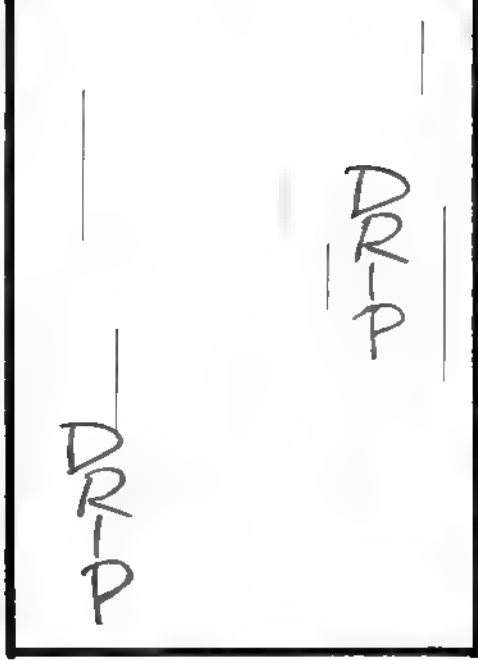
THIS IS AN
EMERGENCY
MESSAGE
FROM THE
POKÉMON
ASSOCIATION!

THE
LEGENDARY
ANCIENT
POKÉMON
KYOGRE HAS
APPEARED
AT SEA AT
POINT H68
OF...

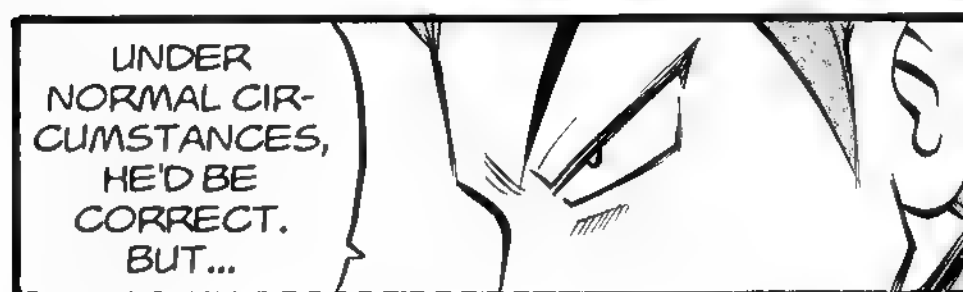
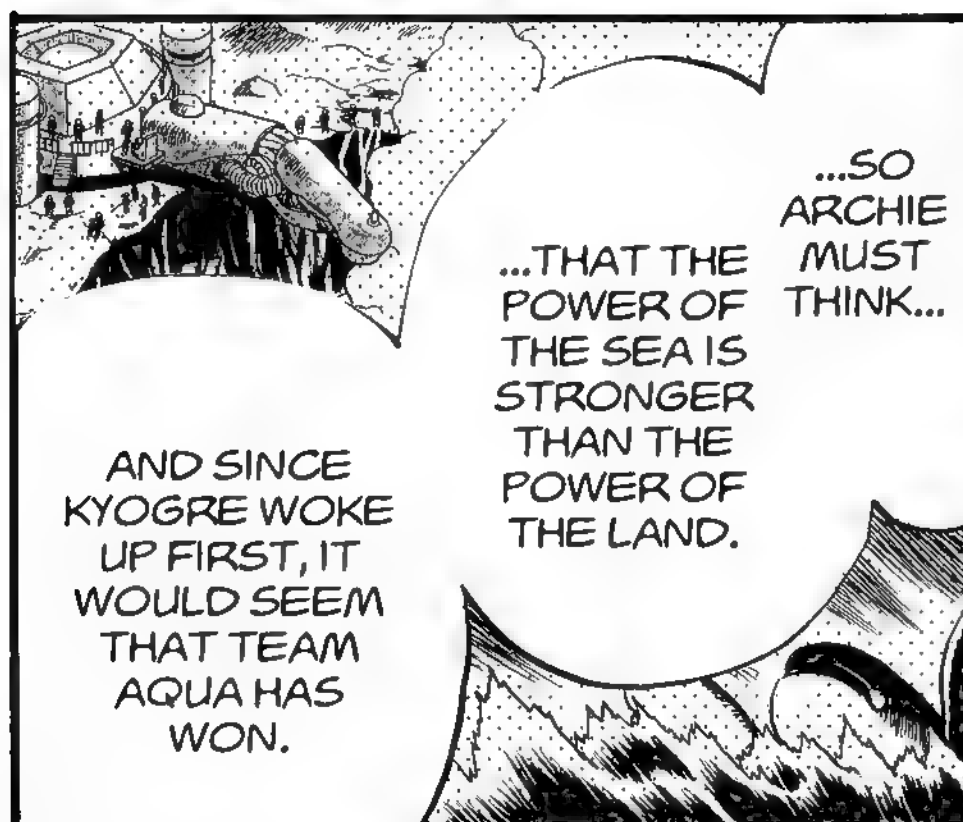
WE DON'T
KNOW WHERE
IT'S HEADING,
SO EVERY
MAYOR IN
HOENN
SHOULD
PREPARE FOR
THE WORST!!

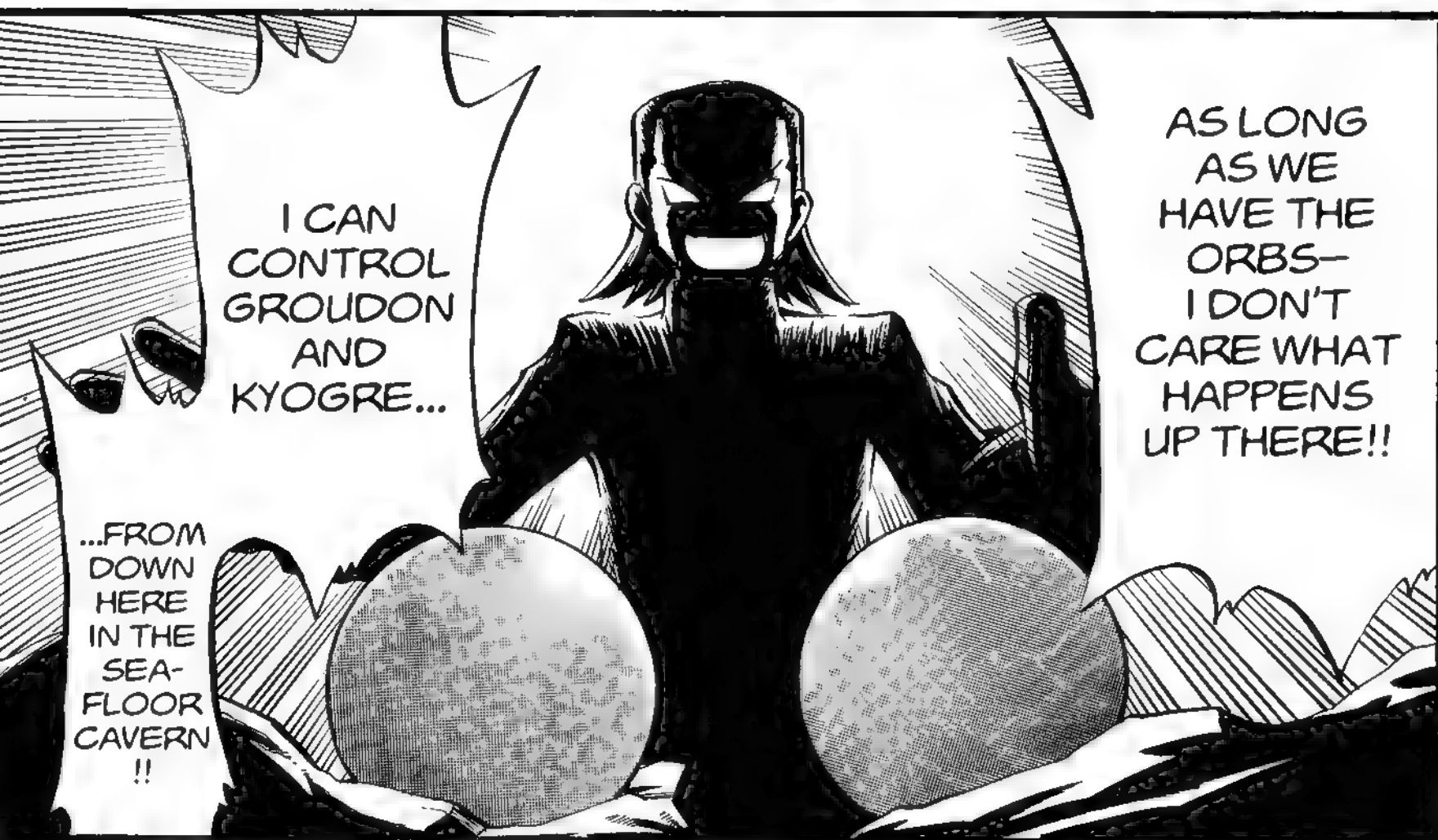
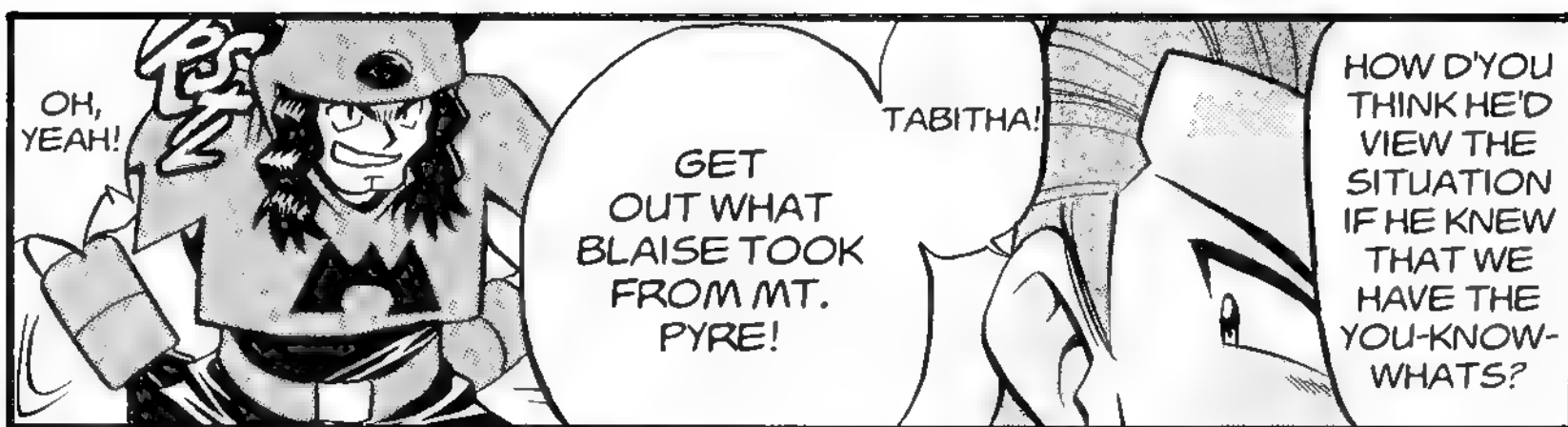












ADVENTURE MAP



SAPPHIRE



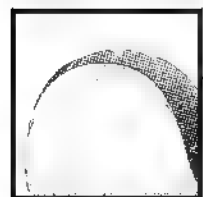
CHIC
Blaziken ♀

Lv40



RONO
Lairon ♂

Lv41



LORRY
Wailord ♂

Lv47



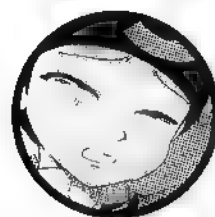
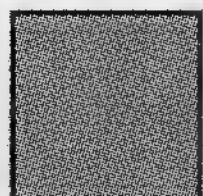
PHADO
Donphan ♂

Lv48



TROPY
Tropius ♂

Lv46



Jagged Pass

Fallarbor Town

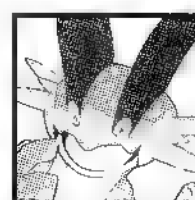
Route 111

Route 111

Fortree City

Slateport City

RUBY



MUMU
Swampert ♂



NANA
Mightyena ♀



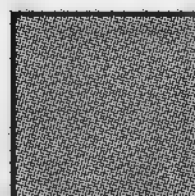
KIKI
Delcatty ♀



FEEFEE
Feebas ♀



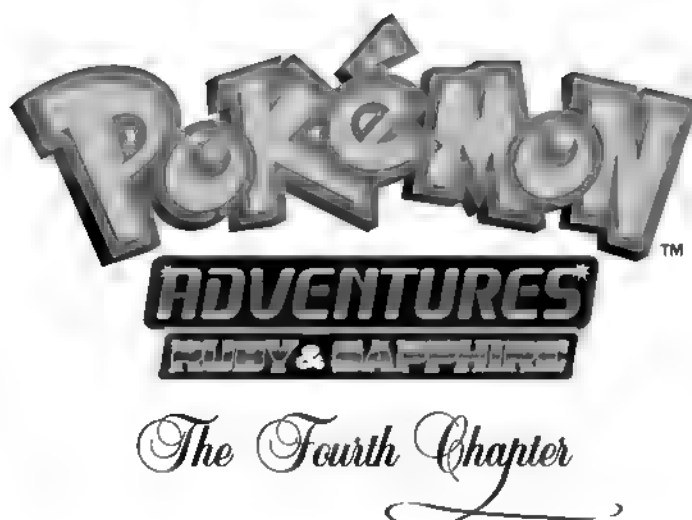
FOFO
Castform ♀



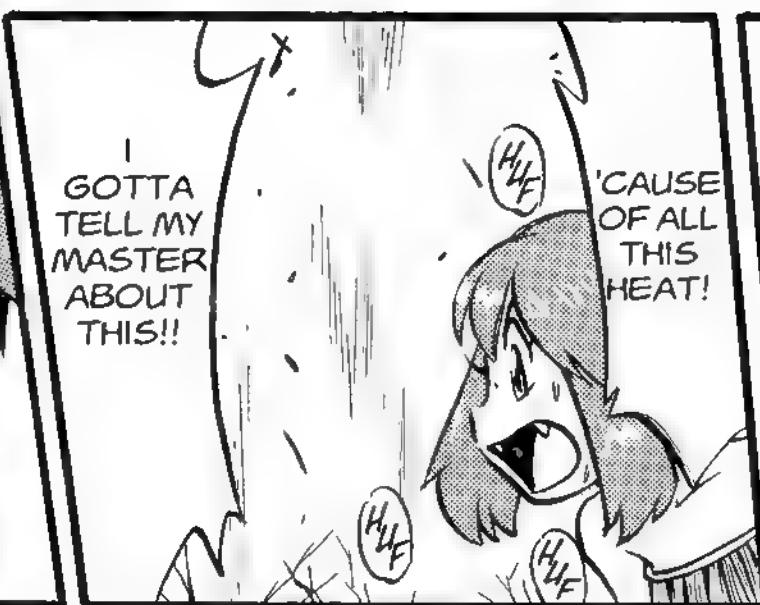
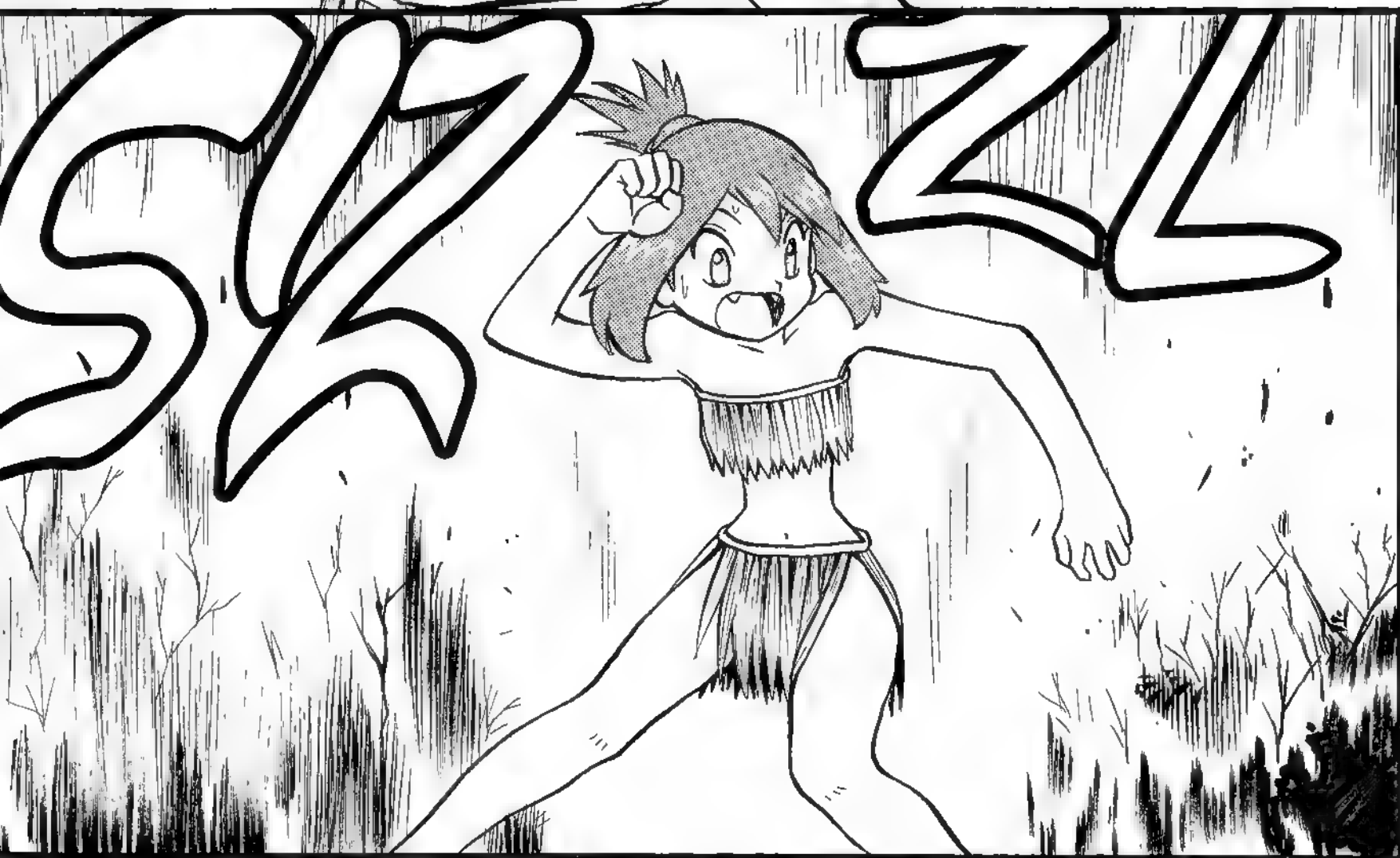
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Balance Badge	Feather Badge	Mind Badge	Rain Badge

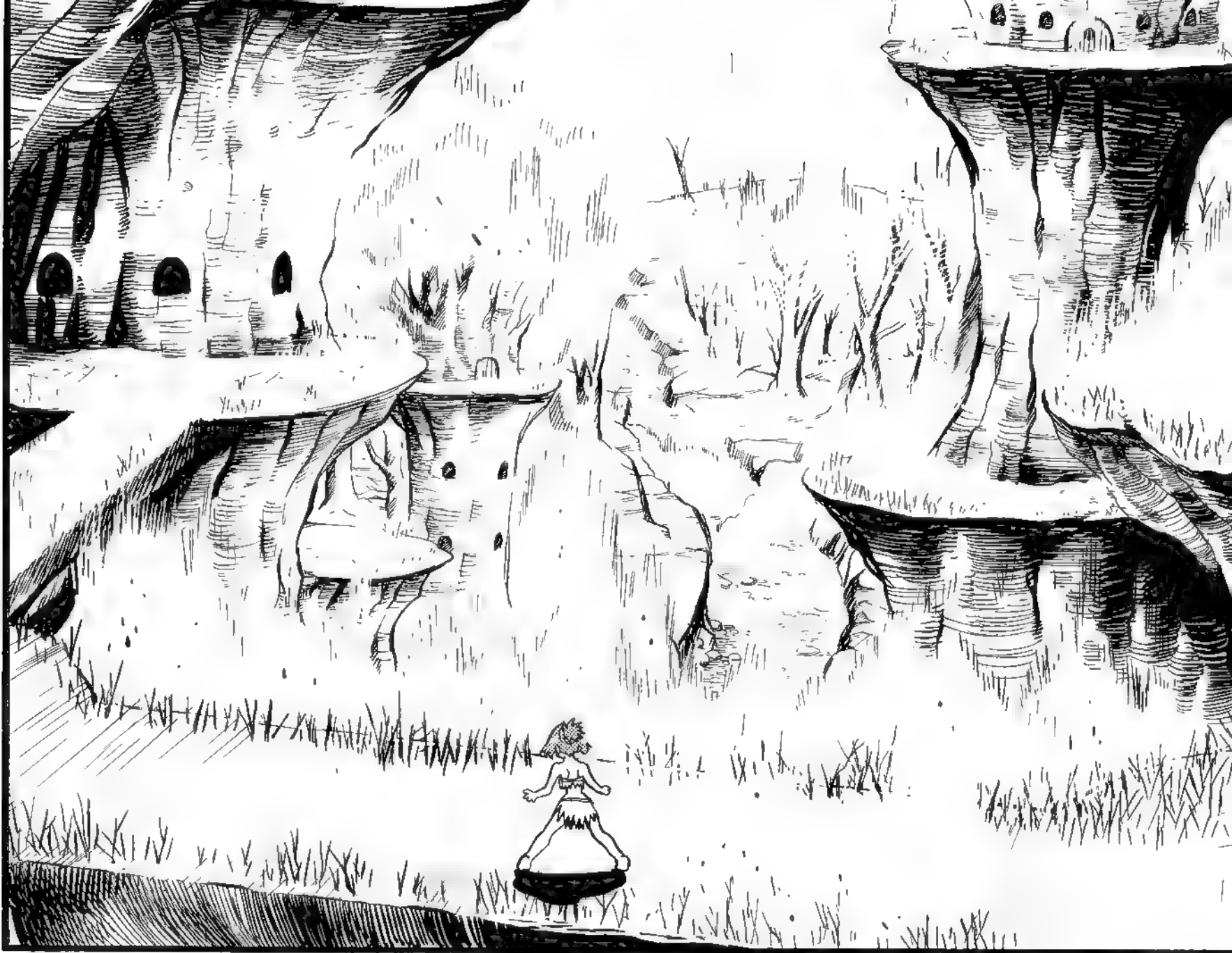
	Cool	Beauty	Cute	Smart	Tough
Normal					
Super					
Hyper					
Master					

● Chapter 235 ●
**The Beginning of the End with
Kyogre & Groudon III**









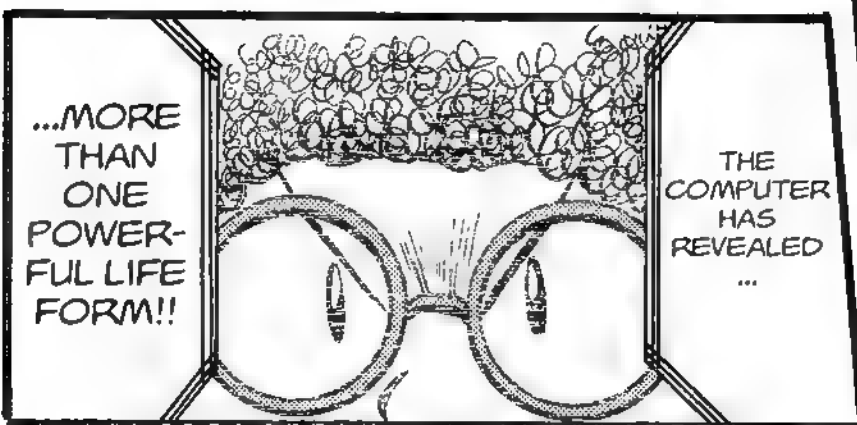
THE
FOREST AND
THE RIVER
ARE ALL
DRIED UP!!

WHAT
HAPPENED?!



BECAUSE
I HAVEN'T
FINISHED
!!

WHY
ARE YOU
STOPPING
ME?!



...MORE
THAN
ONE
POWER-
FUL LIFE
FORM!!

THE
COMPUTER
HAS
REVEALED
...



MY
HOMETOWN
IS UNDER-
WATER! I
HAVE TO
GO HELP!!

HOLD
IT,
BRAWLY
!!



THE
LEGENDARY
ANCIENT
POKÉMON
?!



WHAT
...?!



SWELLER

WHAT
?!

AH!



WINONA!
LOOK
OUTSIDE
...!



IMPOSSIBLE!
ACCORDING TO
THE DATA WALLACE
GATHERED YESTER-
DAY, THE AIR WAS
EXCESSIVELY HUMID
DUE TO THE
CESSATION OF
VOLCANIC ACTIVITY!!

...AND
SUCKING ALL
THE MOIS-
TURE OUT OF
THE PLANTS!
THEIR
LEAVES ARE
WILTING!!

THIS
HEAT IS
UNBELIEV-
ABLE!! IT'S
RISING UP
FROM THE
GROUND...



THE HEAT
WAVE AND THE
FLOODING ARE
CONTINUING
TO SPREAD AS
WELL!!

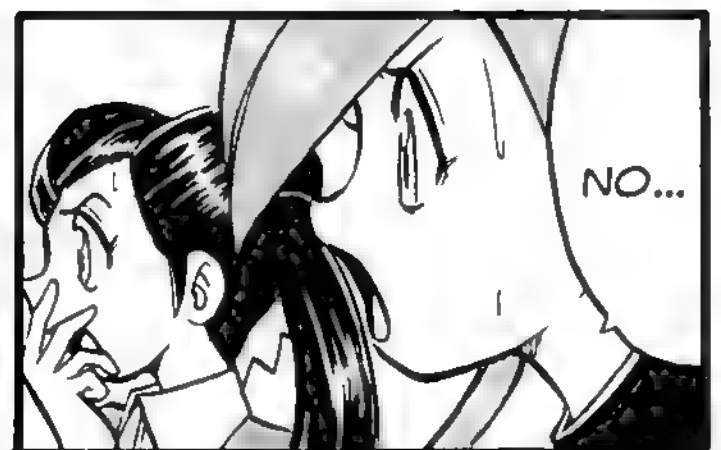
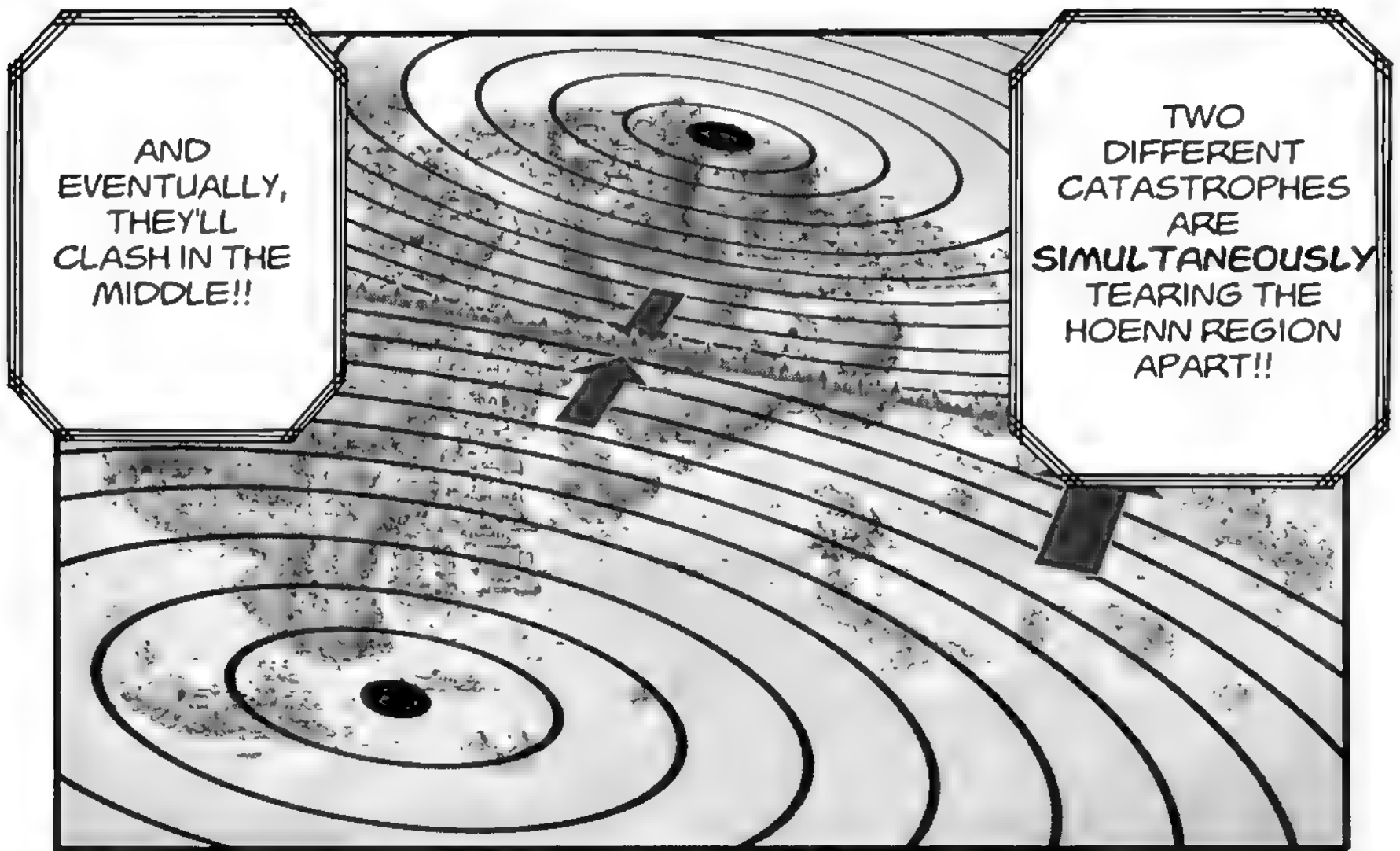
YOU
MEAN
...?

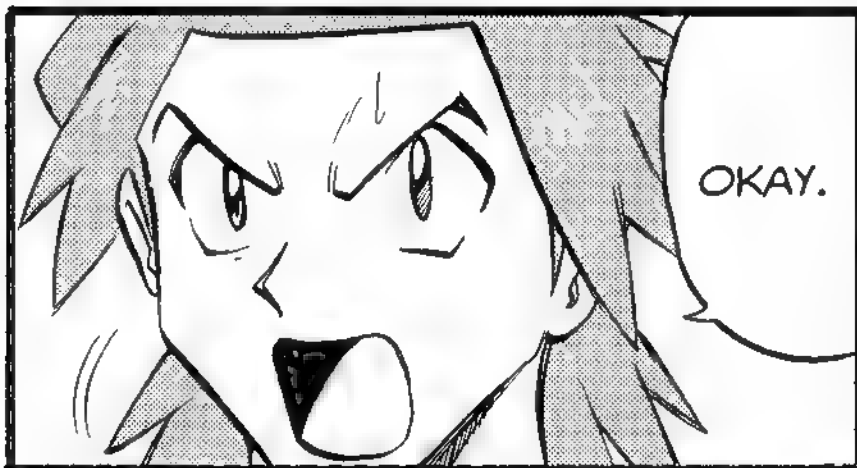
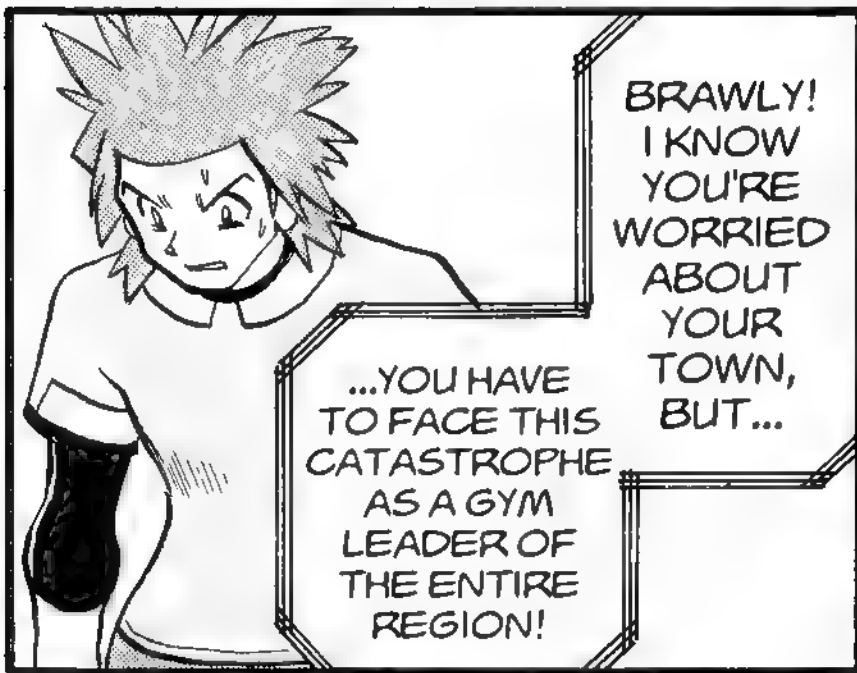
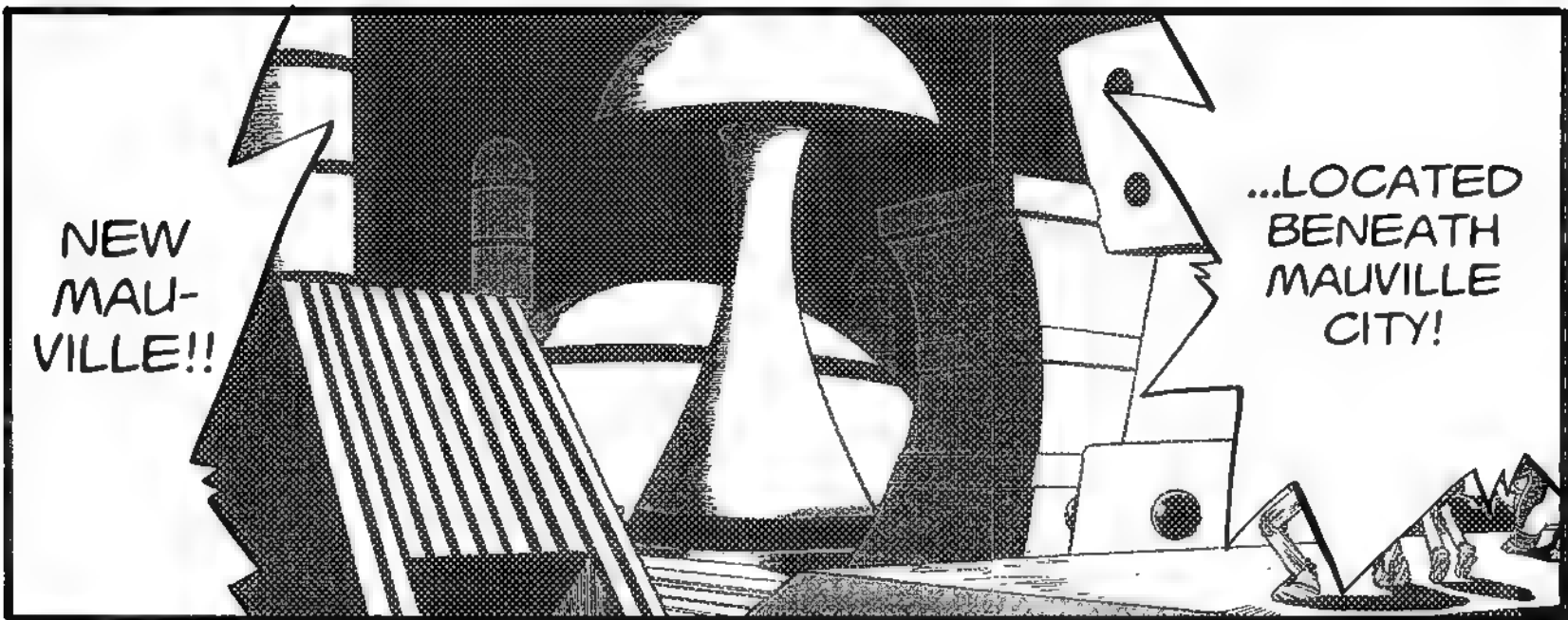
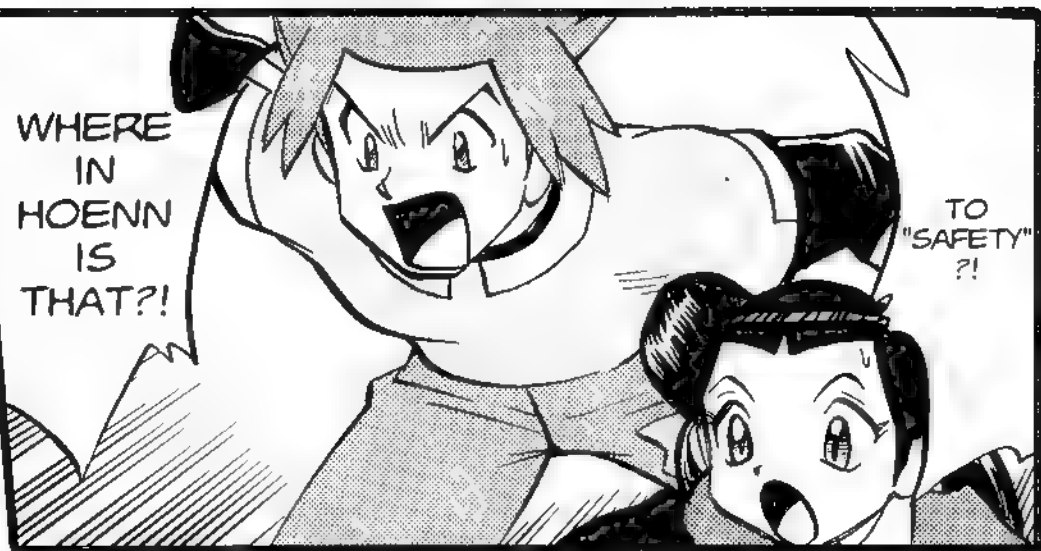


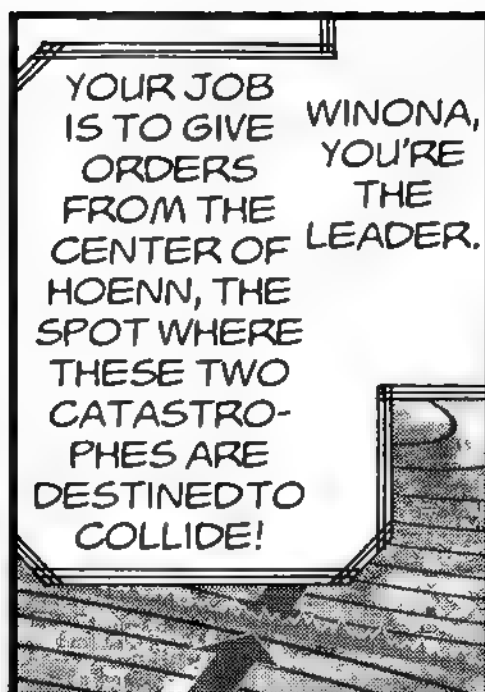
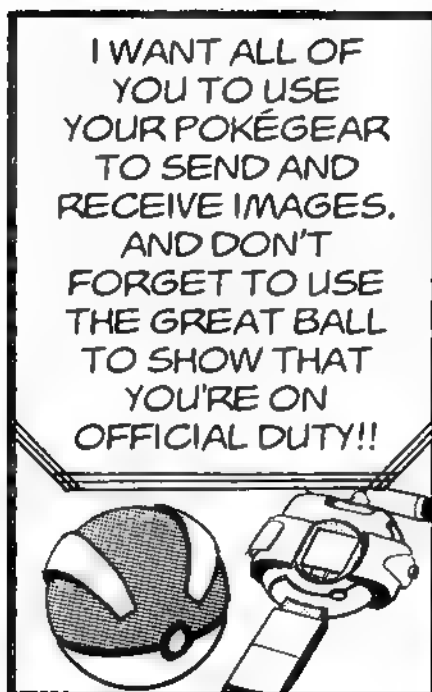
AND AT
THIS RATE, IT
WILL ARRIVE
DIRECTLY
BENEATH
FORTREE CITY
VERY SOON!!

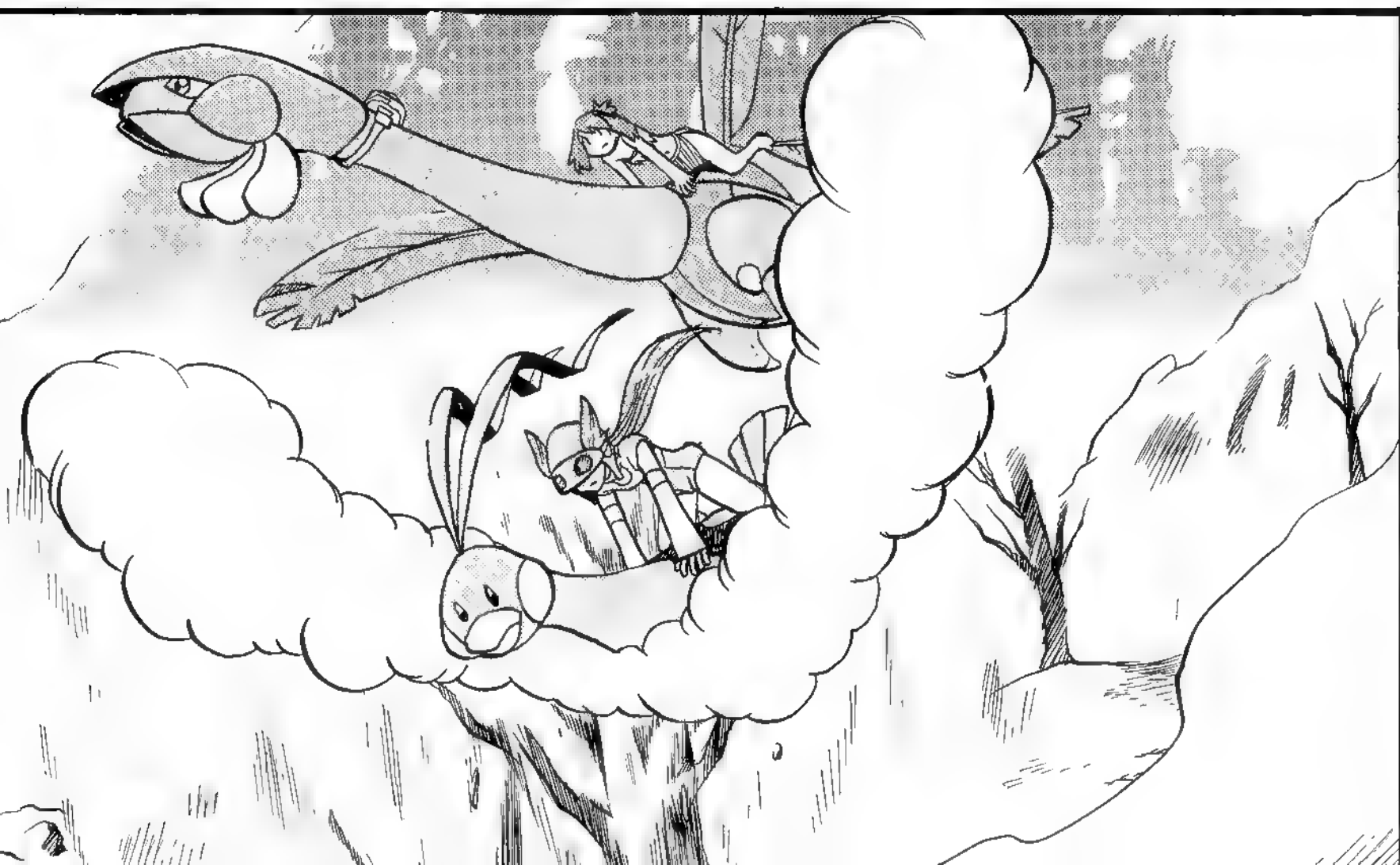


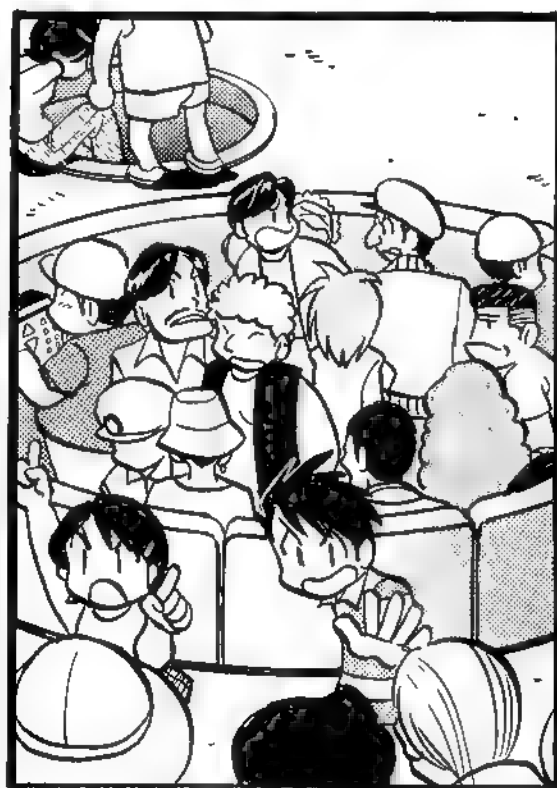
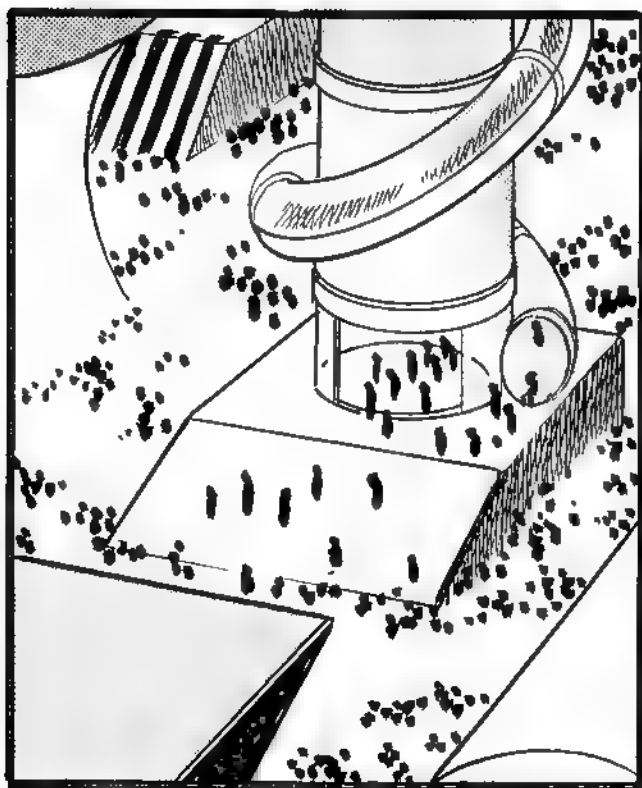
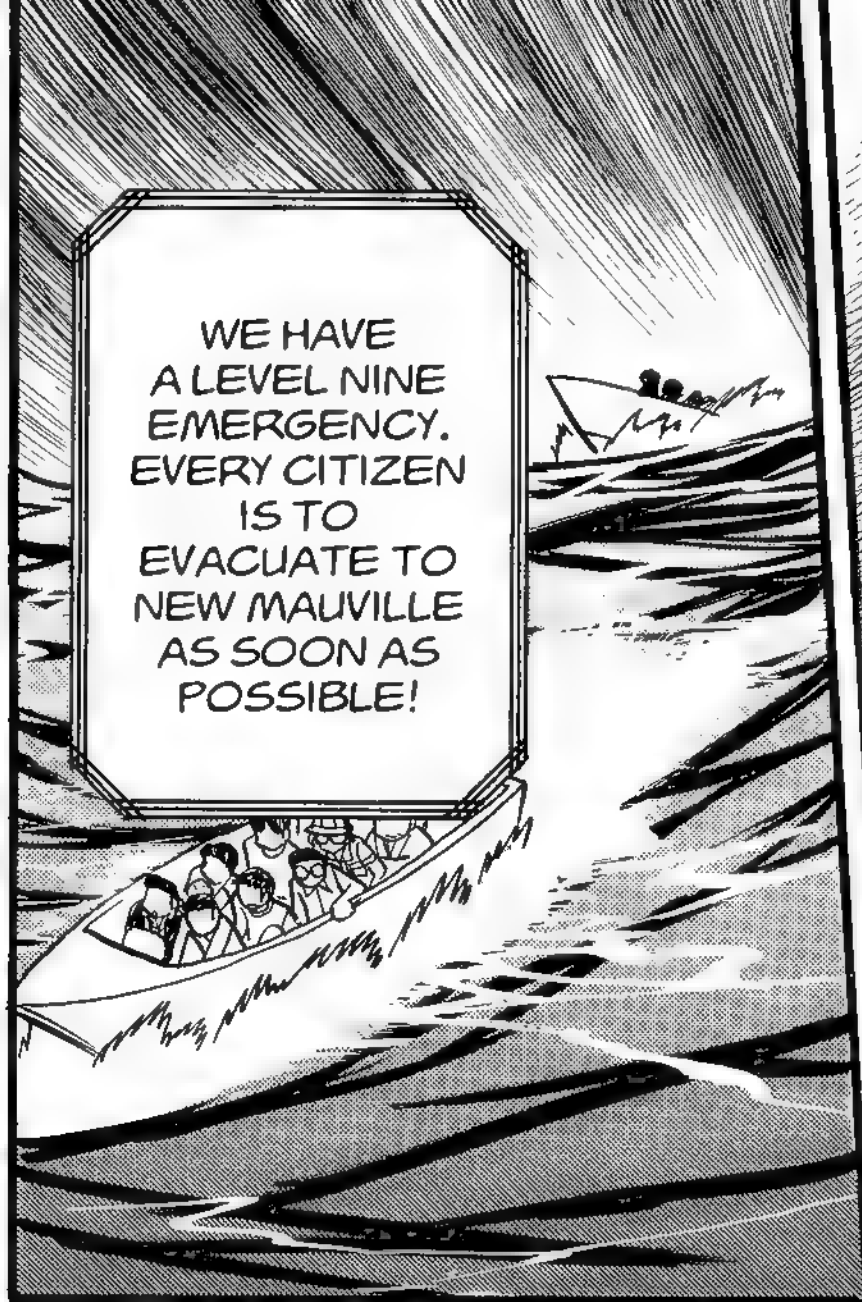
KYOGRE IS
IN THE SEA,
BUT THERE'S
ANOTHER LIFE
FORM MOVING
THROUGH THE
GROUND THAT'S
EMITTING A
TREMENDOUS
AMOUNT OF
HEAT!!













IT WAS BURNIN' HOT A MINUTE AGO...BUT NOW IT'S GETTIN' MIGHTY COLD.

MASTER, THE WEATHER IS GETTIN' WEIRD...

AND IT'S STARTIN' TO RAIN TOO!

FS SS

THIS SITUATION IS PROGRESSING MUCH FASTER THAN WE EXPECTED!

WE'RE ABOVE ROUTE 123 RIGHT NOW...

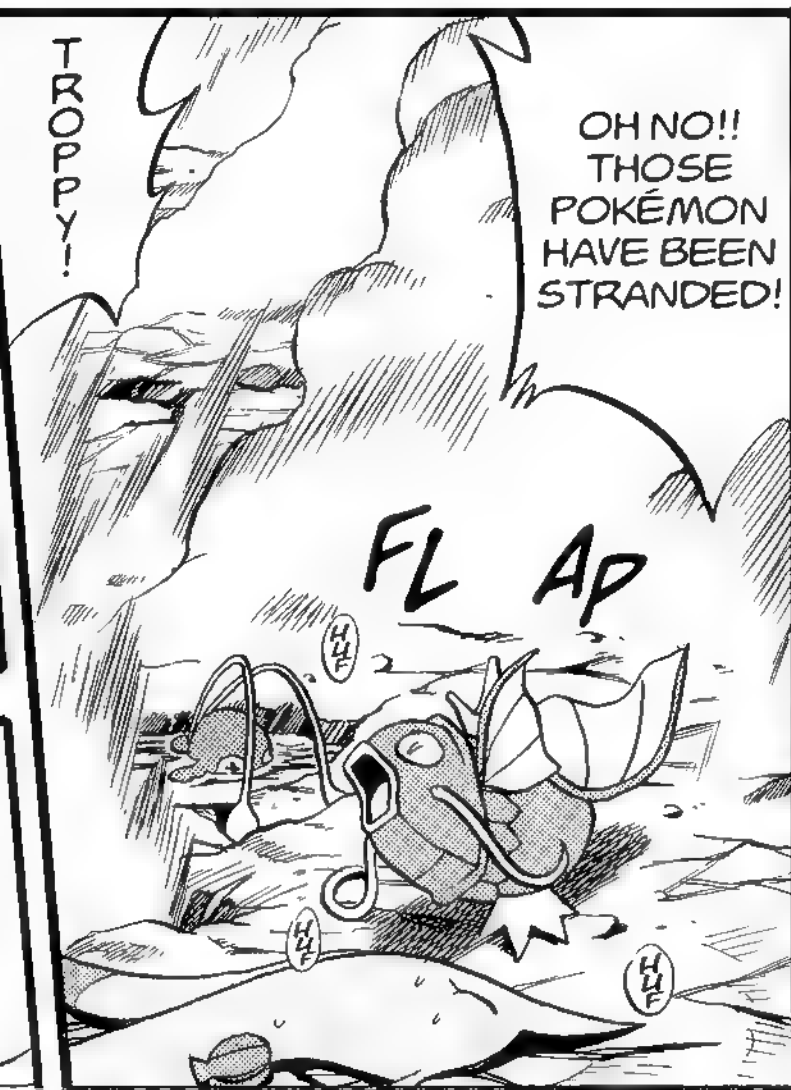
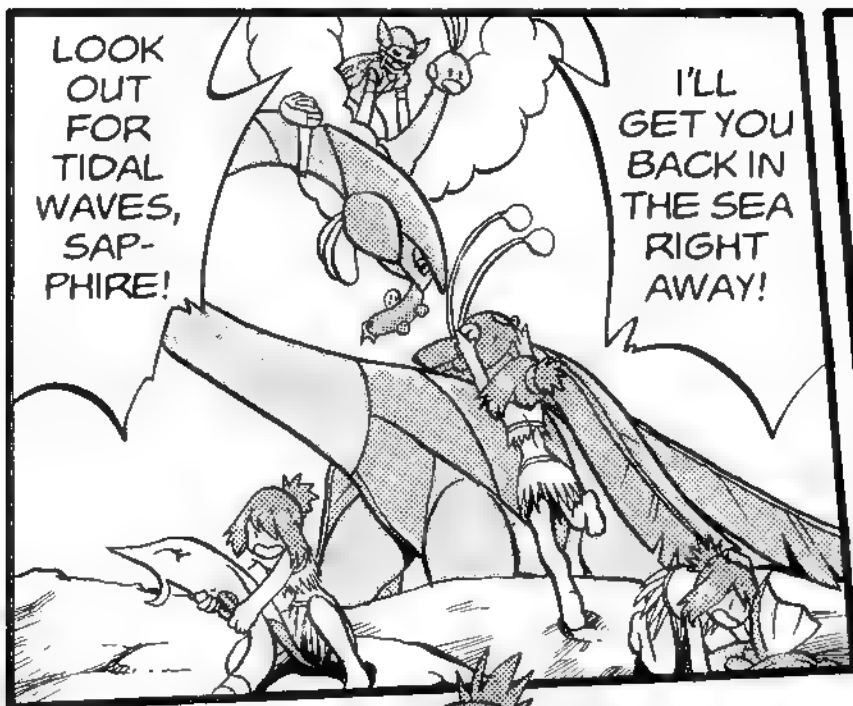
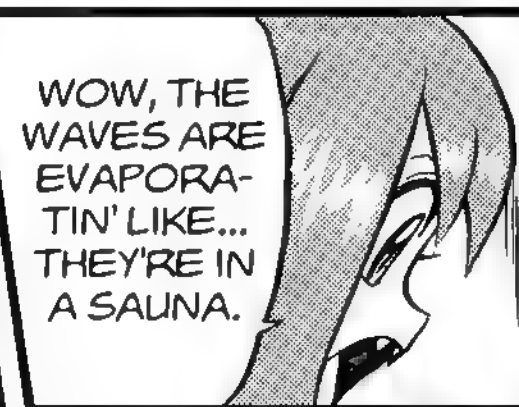
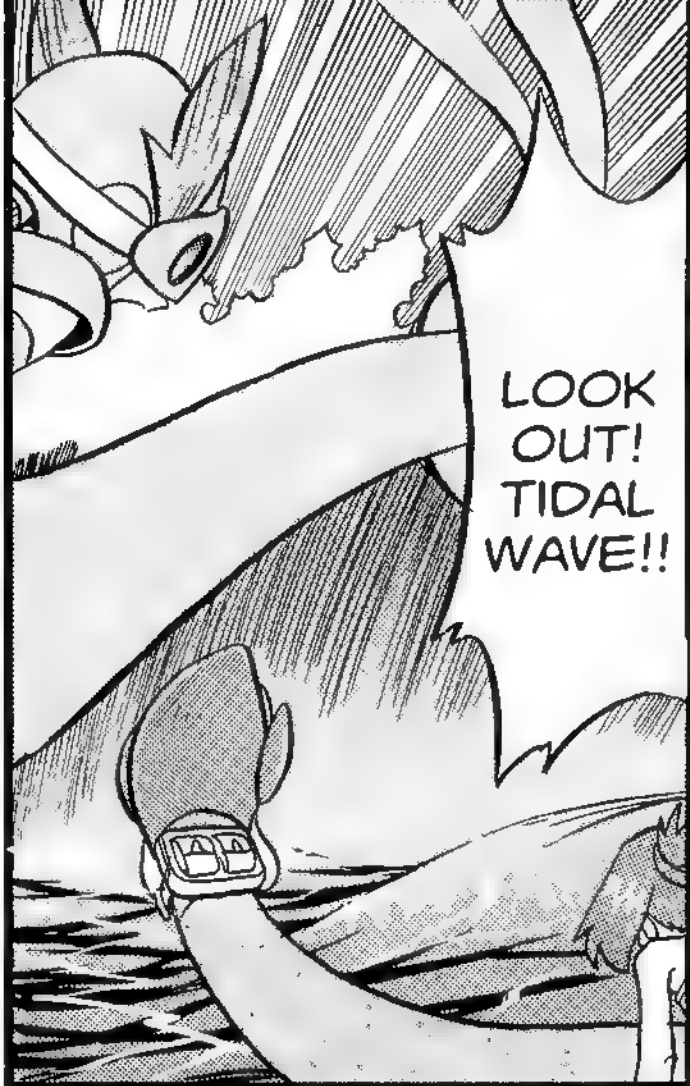
IT'S JUST AS THE CHAIRMAN SAID...

GNAAAAA

THE
BORDERLINE...



...BETWEEN
THE TWO
CATASTROPHES
!!





YER
HURT
PRETTY
BAD!

GASP

GASP

GASP



UM
...

CRASH

IS
THAT
HOW
INTENSE
THIS
STORM
IS?!

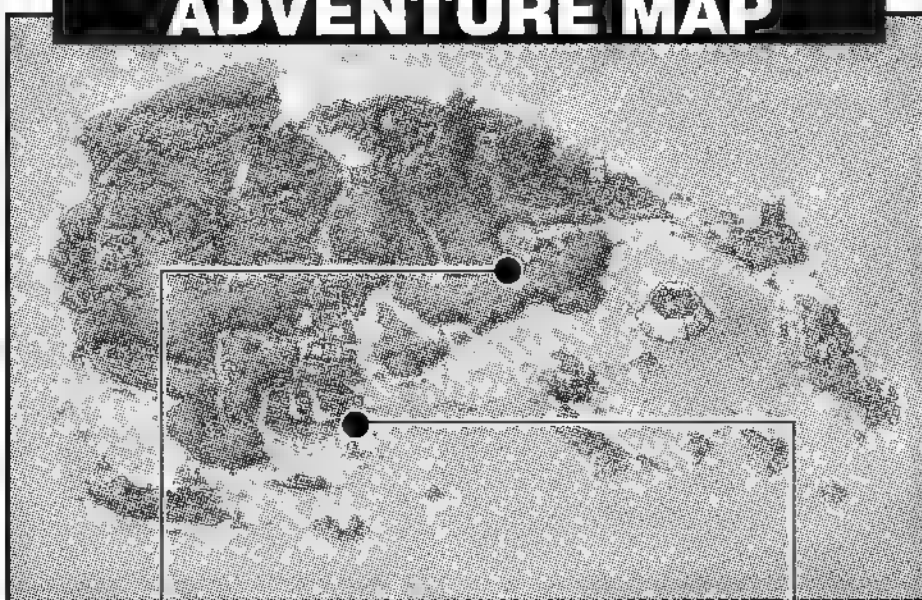
I'VE NEVER
SEEN THIS
POKÉMON
BEFORE...
FROM THE
LOOKS OF IT,
I'D GUESS IT'S
A POKÉMON
THAT LIVES
IN THE DEEP
SEA...



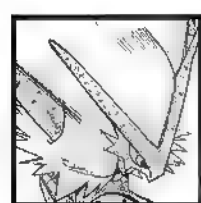
HERE,
EAT
THIS!



ADVENTURE MAP



SAPPHIRE



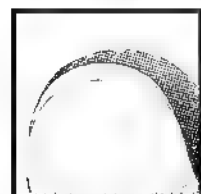
CHIC
Blaziken ♀

Lv40



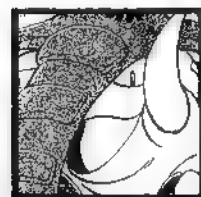
RONO
Lairon ♂

Lv41



LORRY
Wailord ♂

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Donphan ♂

Lv48



TROPY
Tropius ♂

Lv46



.....
?



Jagged Pass

Fallarbor Town

Route 111

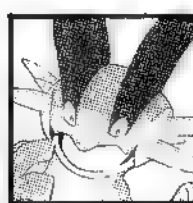
Route 111

Fortree City

Route 123

Slateport City

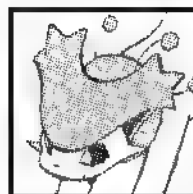
RUBY



MUMU
Swampert ♂



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Delcatty ♀



FEEFEE
Feebas ♀

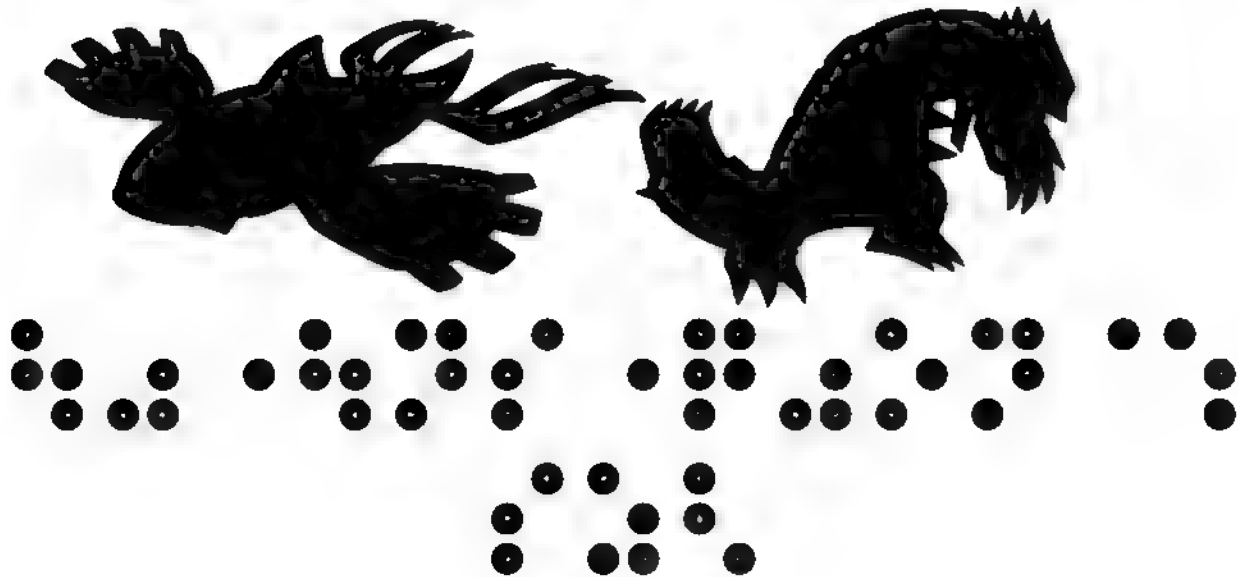


FOFO
Castform ♀

Stone Badge	Knuckle Badge	Dynamo Badge	Heat Badge
Balance Badge	Feather Badge	Mind Badge	Rain Badge

	Cool	Beauty	Cute	Smart	Tough
Normal					
Super					
Hyper					
Master					

● Chapter 236 ●
**The Beginning of the End with
Kyogre & Groudon IV**



The Fourth Chapter



KAS PLASH

HUH?



YANK

...IT'S...
DODGIN'
US?!

THIS
TIDAL
WAVE
...



HM...
IT'S ALMOST LIKE
THIS POKÉMON
HERE USED SOME
KINDA SPECIAL
POWER!...

I THOUGHT
IT WAS TOO
LATE TO USE
THAT MOVE...
BUT I GUESS I
MANAGED TO
BLOW THE
WAVES AWAY
AFTER ALL.

PHEW! THAT
WAS CLOSE. IT
WOULD HAVE
BEEN VERY
DANGEROUS IF
WE'D BEEN HIT
HEAD-ON BY
THAT WAVE.

SAP-
PHIRE
...?

YEAH, THE
WAVES DODGED US...
BUT I DON'T THINK
IT WAS BECAUSE
OF MASQUERAIN'S
MOVE...

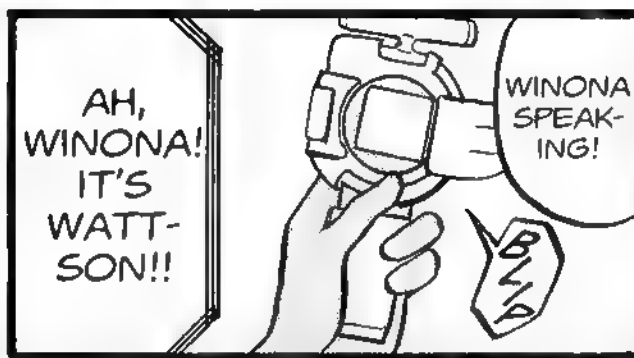
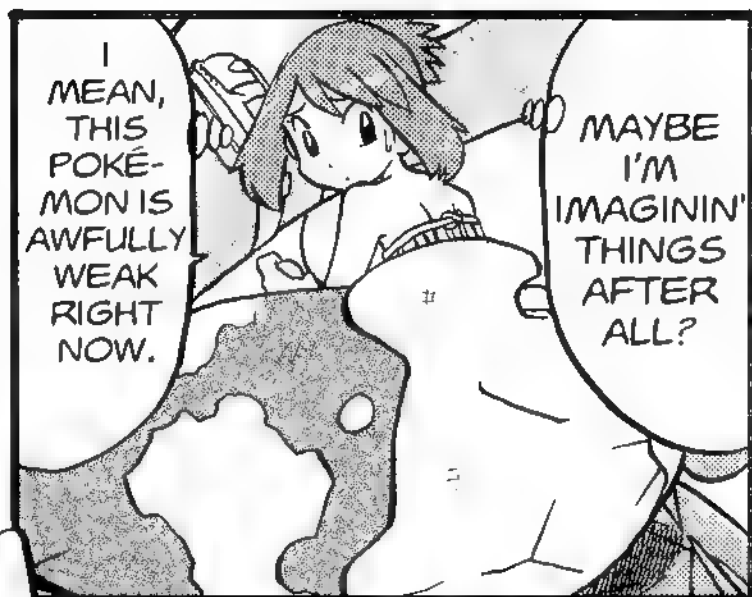
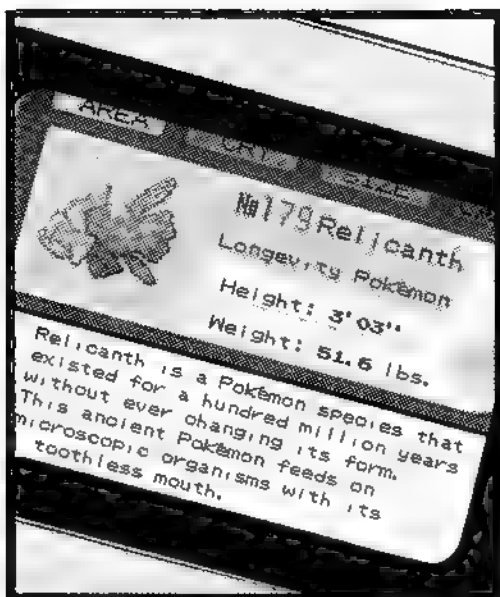
SOME-
THIN'
DOESN'T
SEEM
RIGHT
ABOUT
THIS...

I'VE
GOTTA
TREAT
YER
INJU-
RIES!

HM...
YER NOT
GETTIN'
TOO HOT,
ARE YA?

HUH?! OH,
NOTHIN'!!
THANKS
FOR SAVIN'
ME!!

WHAT'S
ON YOUR
MIND,
SAP-
PHIRE?!





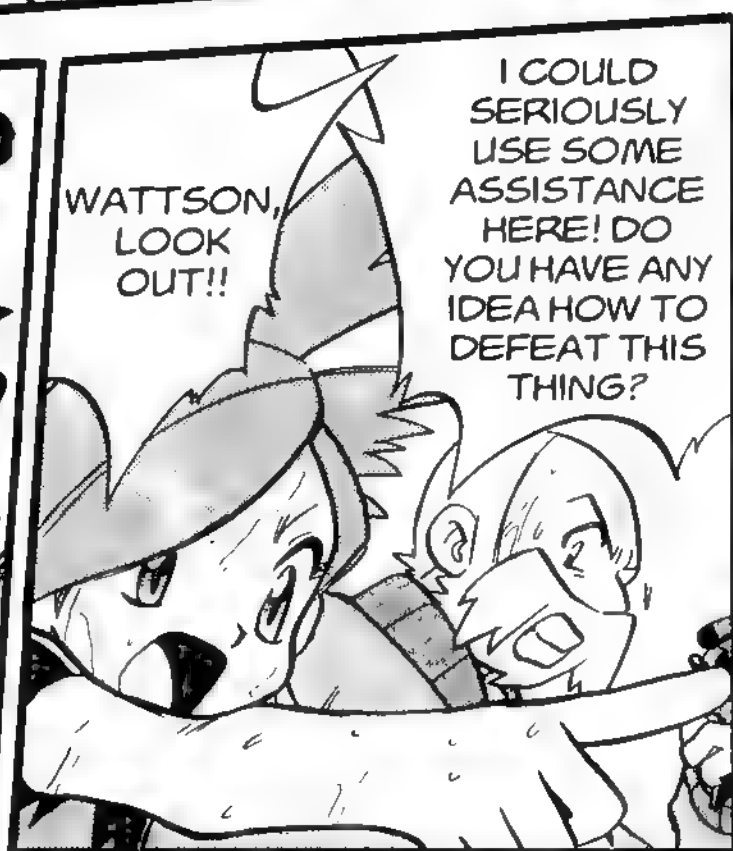
IT'S A
NIGHT-
MARE!

AND
WE'RE
NO
MATCH
FOR IT!



WATTSON!!
FLANNERY
!!

KR
AAAH...
AS
K
URGH.
ZZZZZ



WATTSON,
LOOK
OUT!!

I COULD
SERIOUSLY
USE SOME
ASSISTANCE
HERE! DO
YOU HAVE ANY
IDEA HOW TO
DEFEAT THIS
THING?



WE'RE
AT THE
BORDER-
LINE
WHERE THE
TWO CATAS-
TROPES
ARE GONNA
COLLIDE,
RIGHT?

WHAT
IS IT?

MAYBE
THIS IS
JUST
MY
IMAGI-
NATION,
BUT...



MASTER
!!

YOU HAVE
TO STOP
IT FROM
MOVING
ANY
FARTHER!



ZZZT ZZT
WE'RE FINE!
WE'RE STILL
HOLDING
OUR OWN-
FOR NOW!

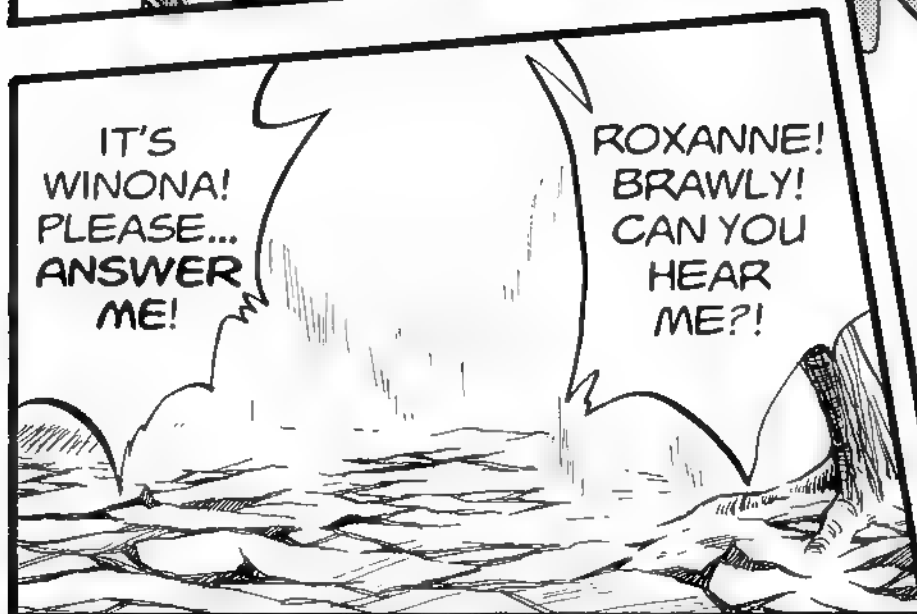


DOESN'T
IT SEEM
LIKE
THERE'S
MORE
LAND
BELOW
US THAN
BEFORE?

IT'S LIKE...
THE HEAT
IS SLOWLY
STARTIN' TO
BEAT OUT
THE RAIN!



COULD
IT
BE...?

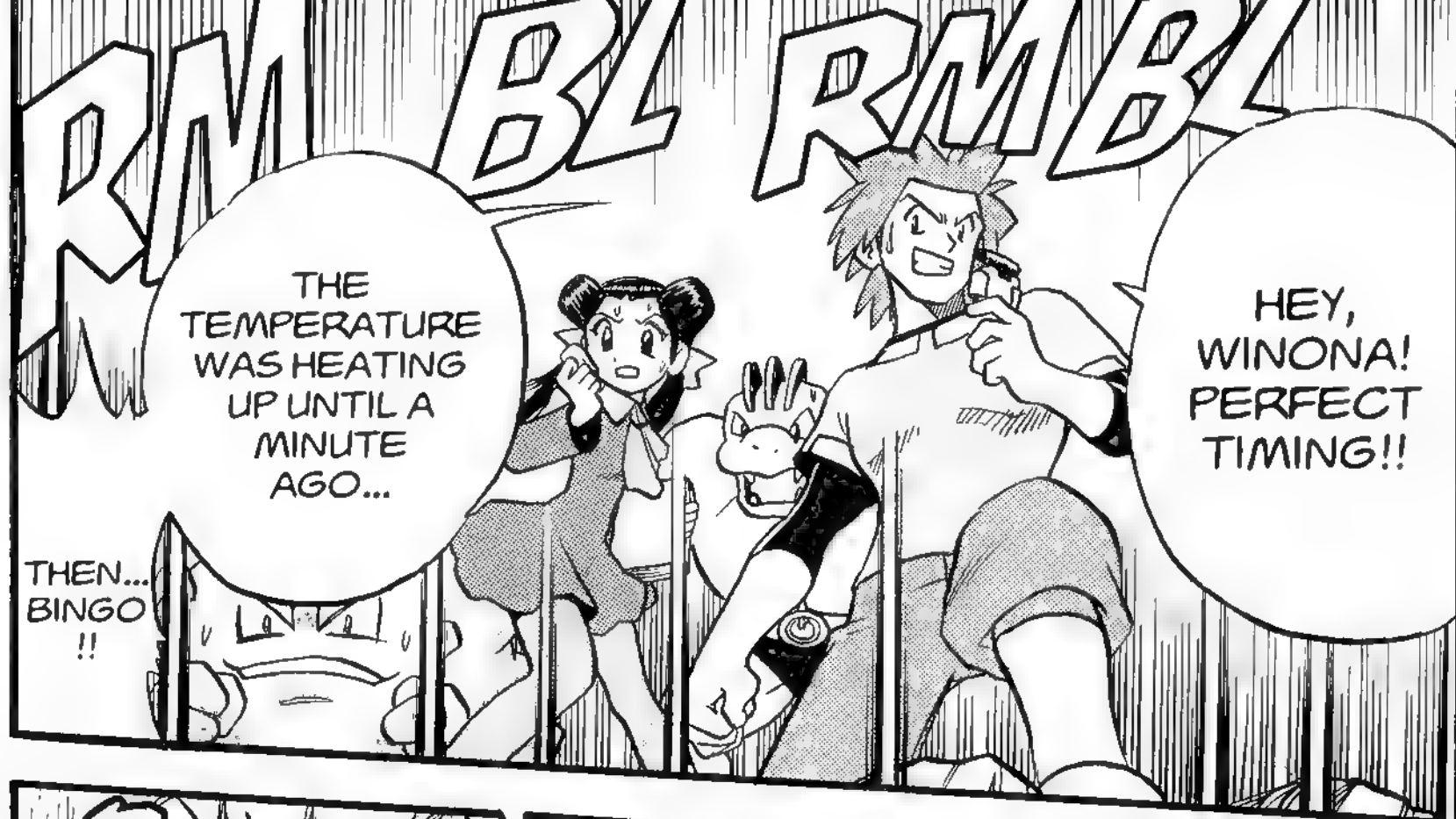


IT'S
WINONA!
PLEASE...
ANSWER
ME!

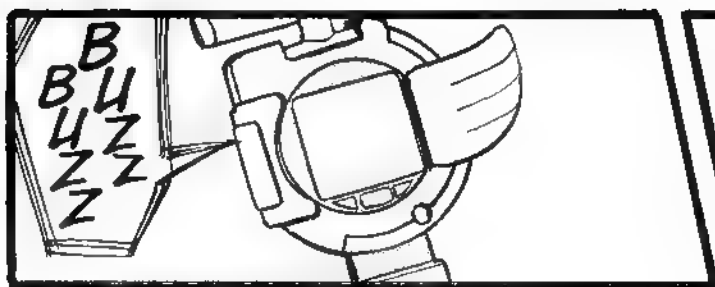
ROXANNE!
BRAWLY!
CAN YOU
HEAR
ME?!

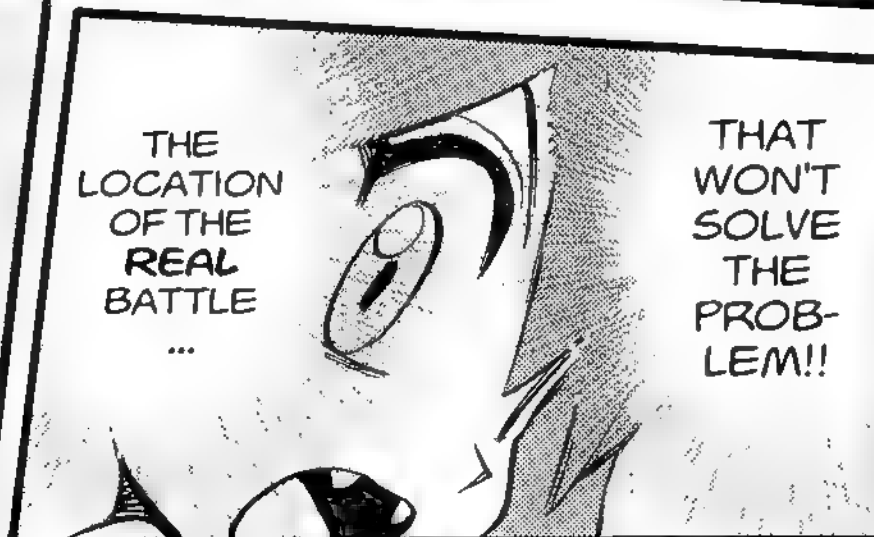
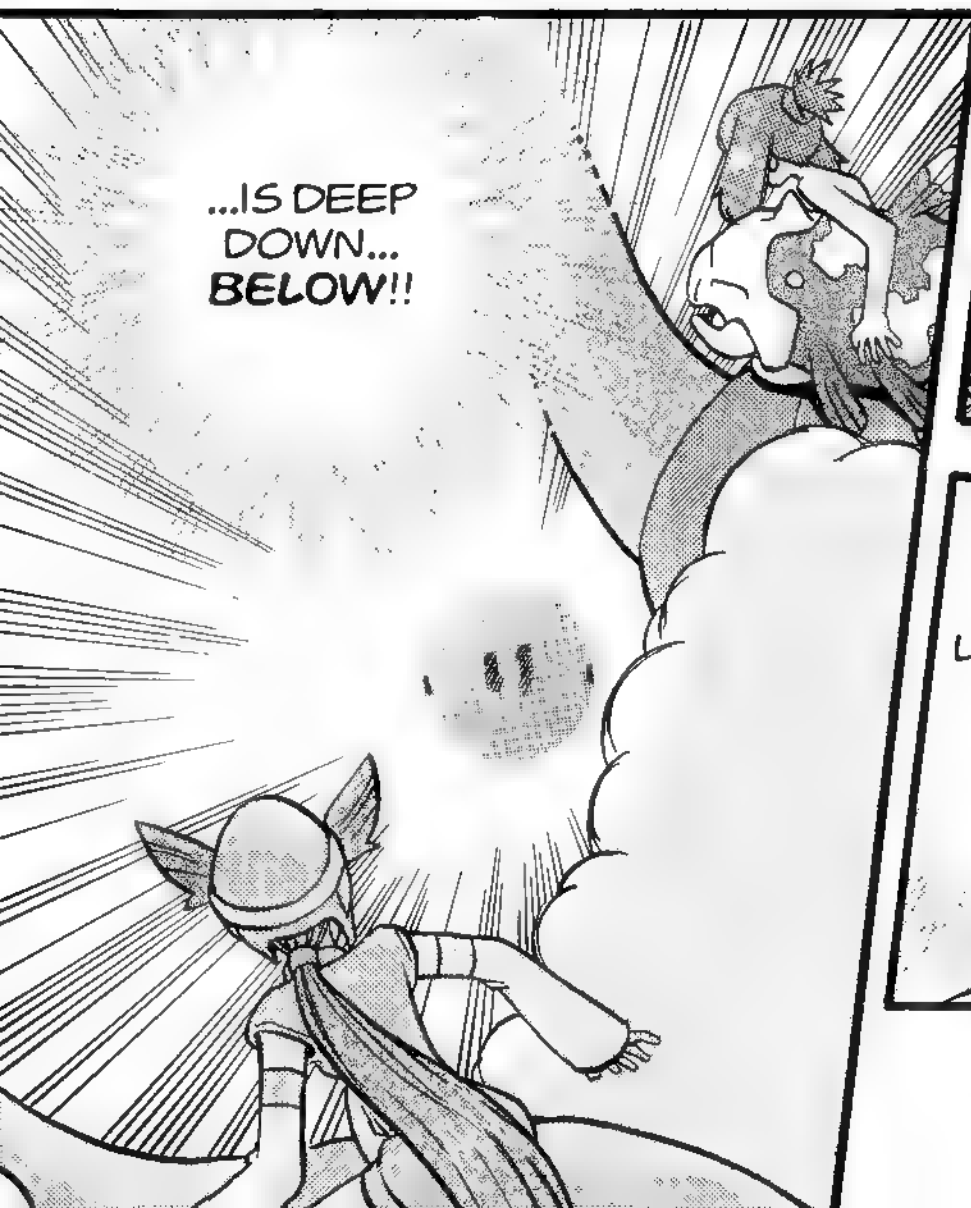


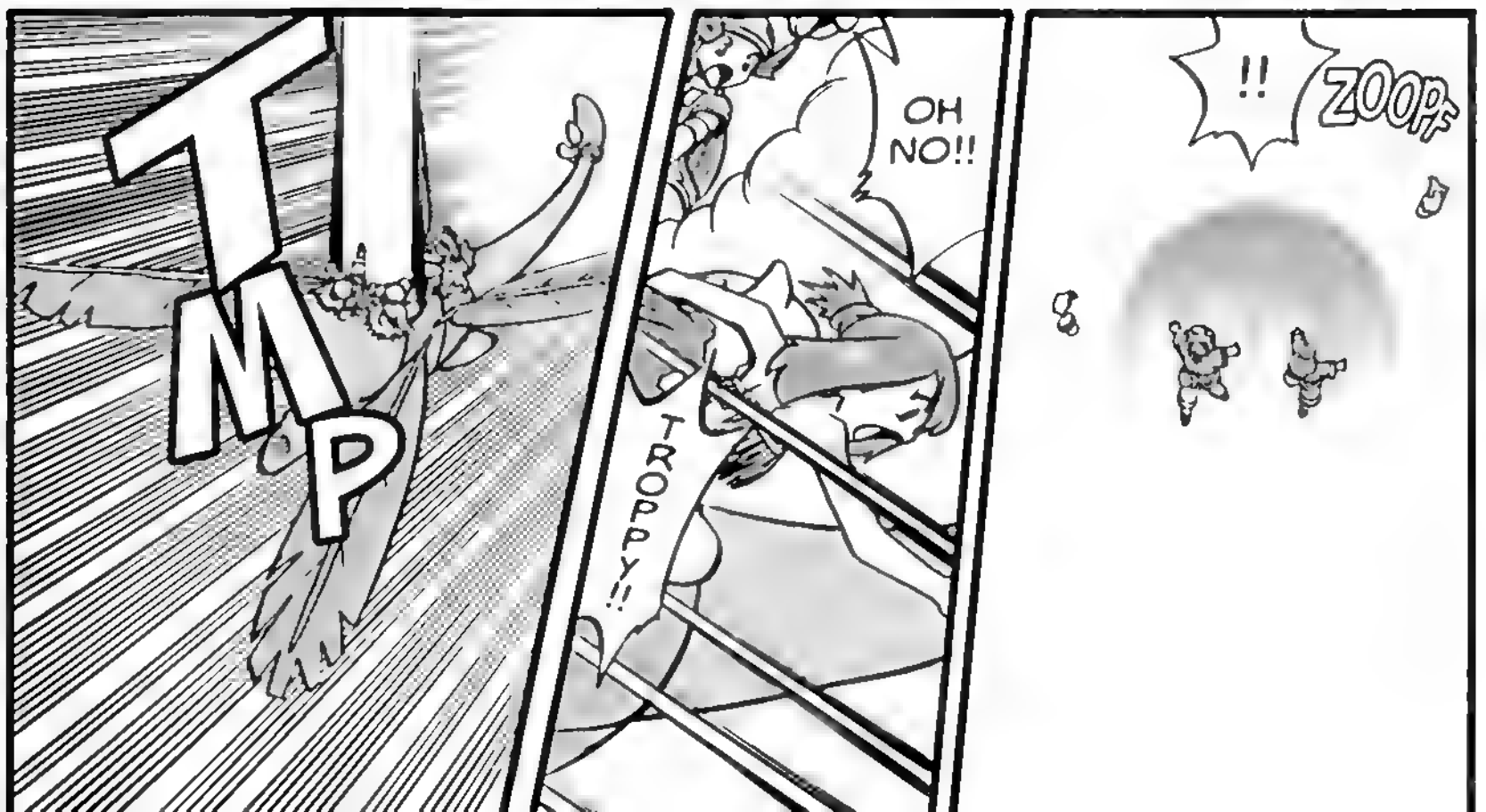
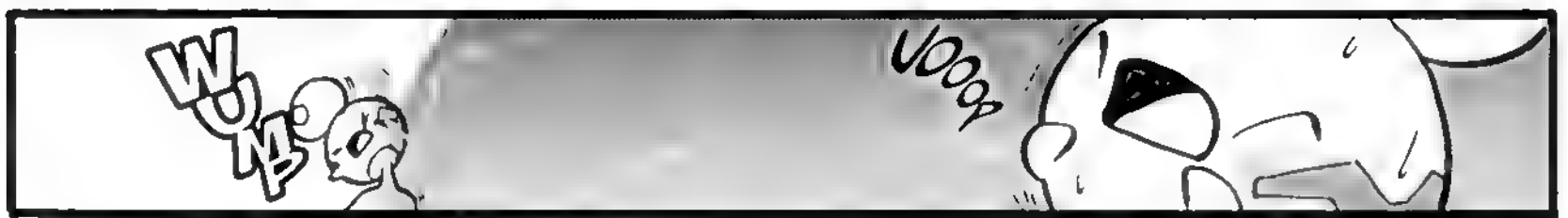
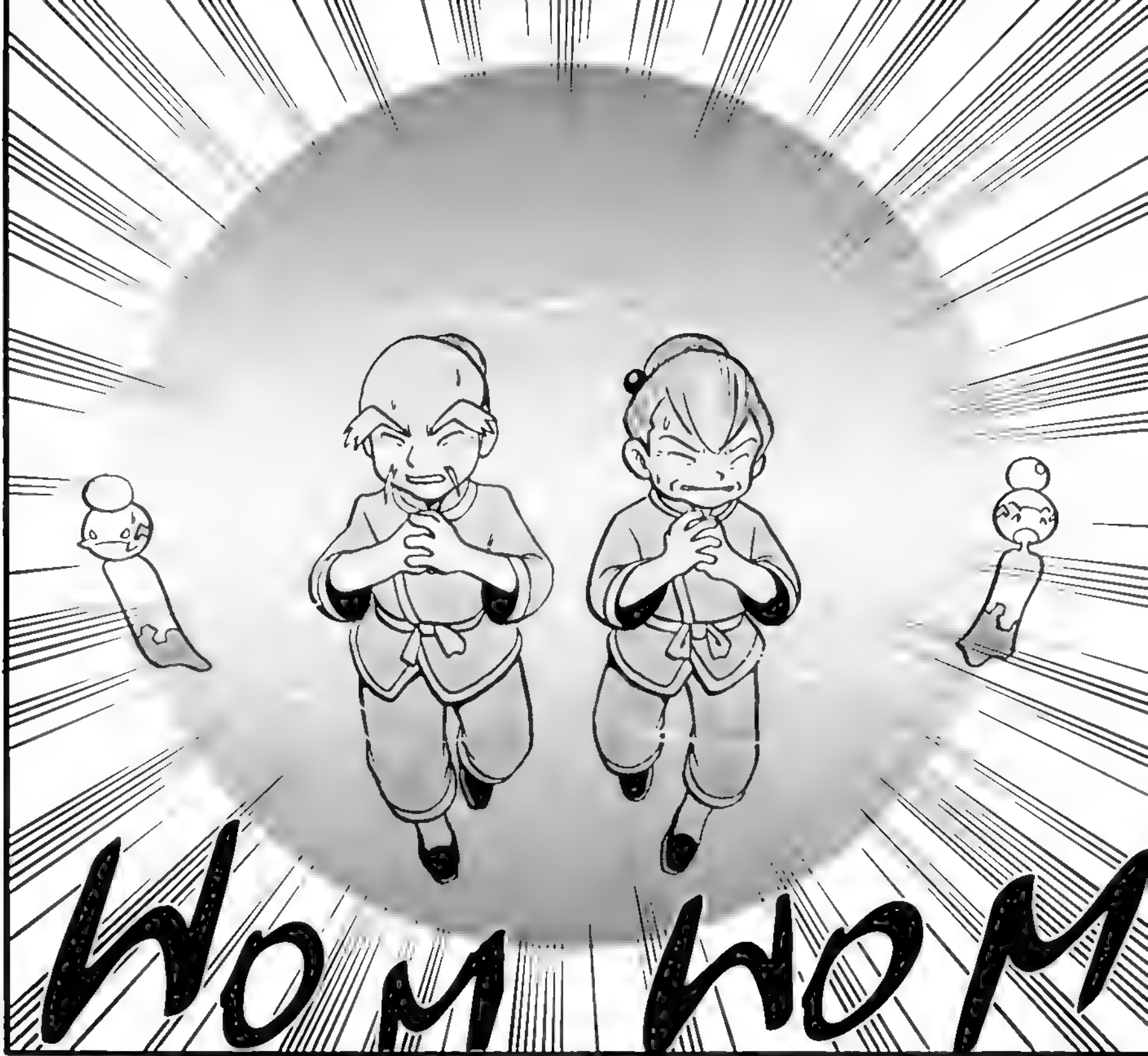
YOU'RE
RIGHT...



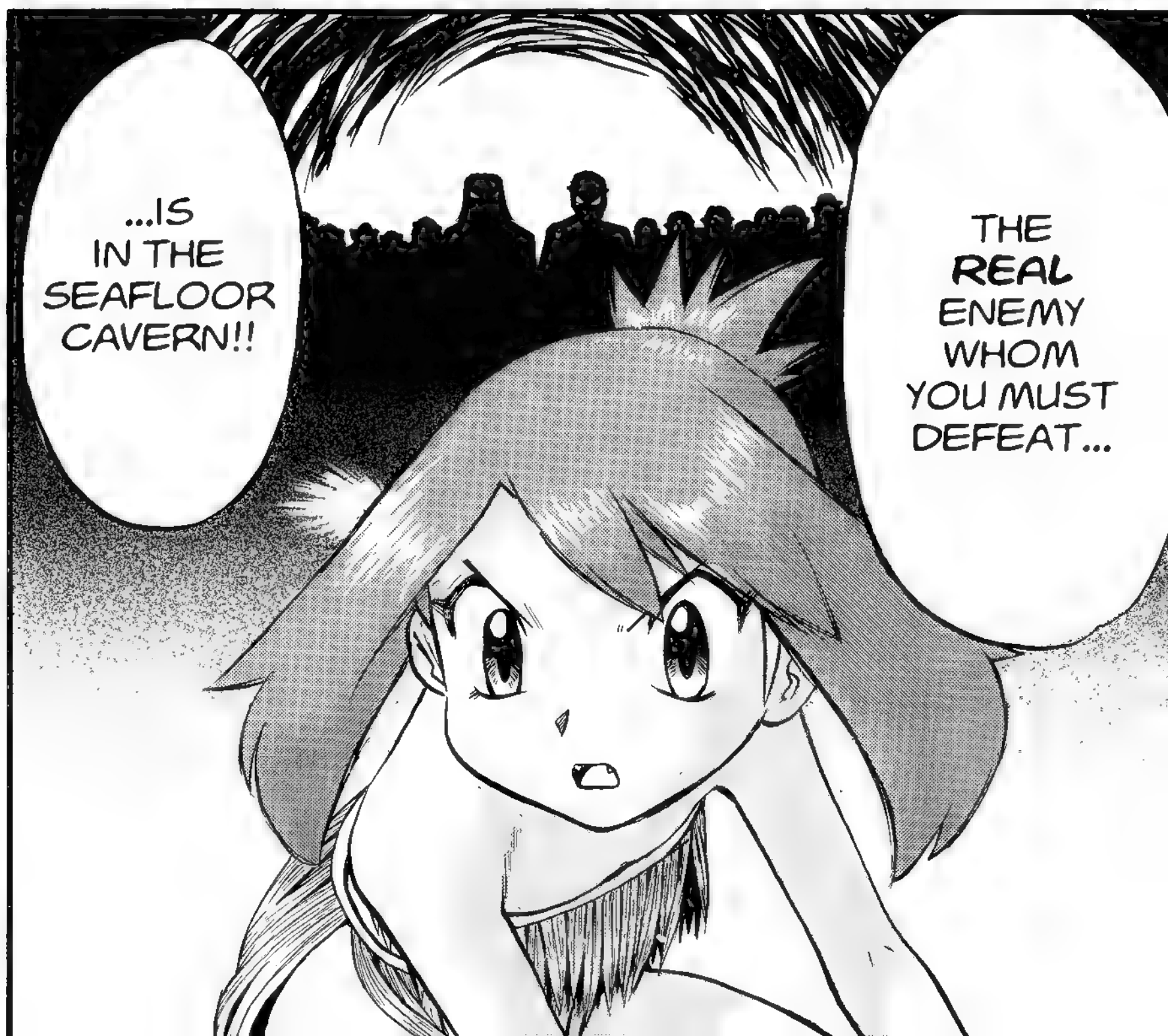
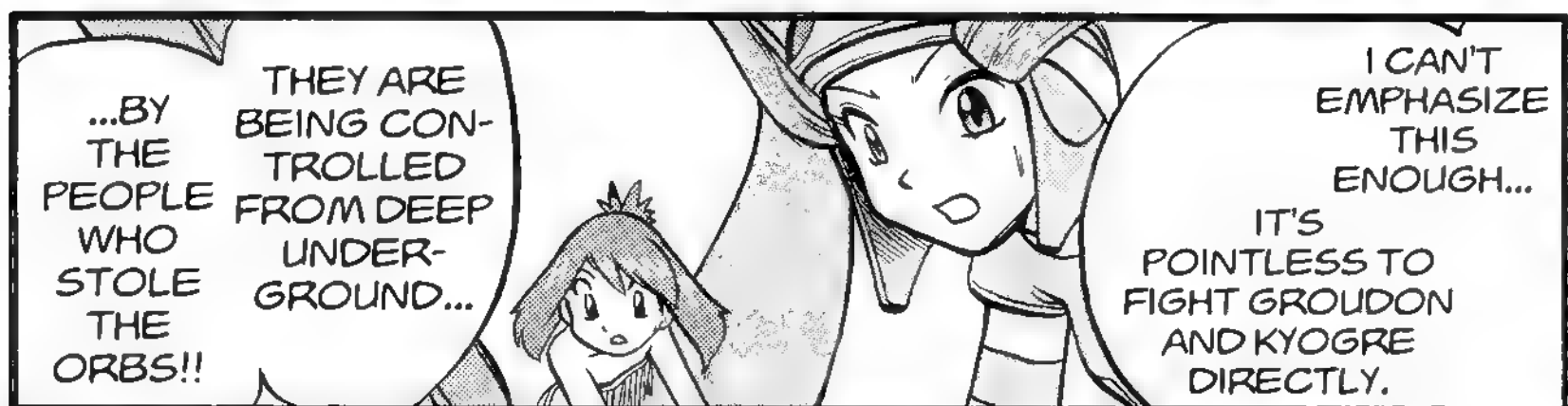




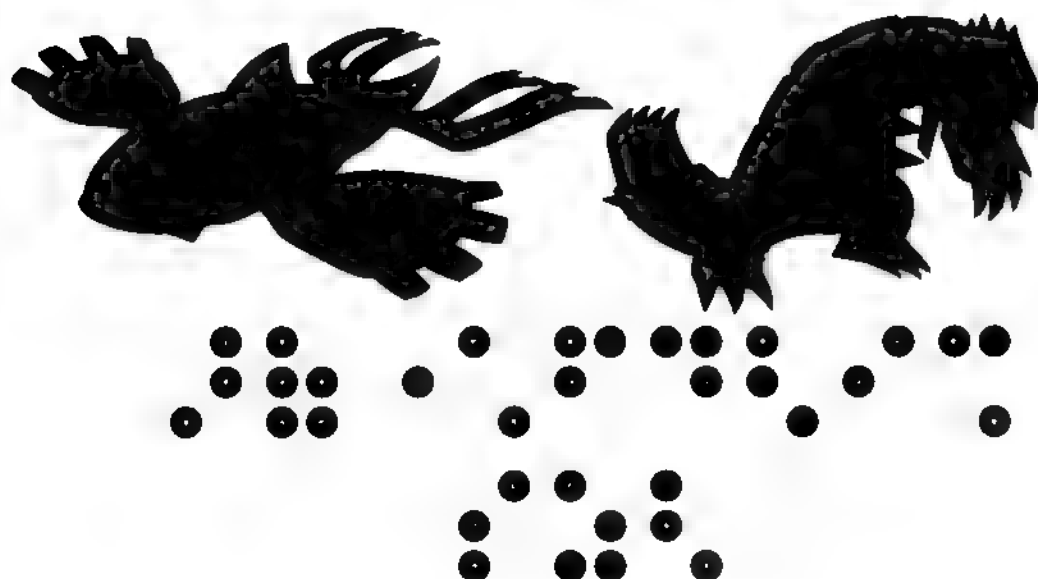








● Chapter 237 ●
**The Beginning of the End with
Kyogre & Groudon V**



The Fourth Chapter



...IS IN THE
SEAFLOOR
CAVERN!!

THE REAL
ENEMY
WHO WE'VE
GOTTA
DEFEAT...

WHAT
ARE
YOU
GOING
TO
DO?!

SAPPHIRE!!

VWIP

TROPPI!!

I'M
GONNA
HEAD OUT
TO SEA
AND TRY
AND GET
DOWN
TO THAT
CAVERN
SOME
WAY
SOME-
HOW!!

WE CAN
STOP THIS
HEAT AND
RAIN FROM
DESTROY-
ING THE
HOENN
REGION...

...IF WE
DEFEAT
THOSE BAD
GUYS IN THE
SEAFLOOR
CAVERN,
RIGHT?!

WELL, I FOR
ONE AIN'T
GONNA SIT
BACK AND
DO NOTHIN'
NOW THAT
I KNOW
WHAT'S
GOTTA BE
DONE!

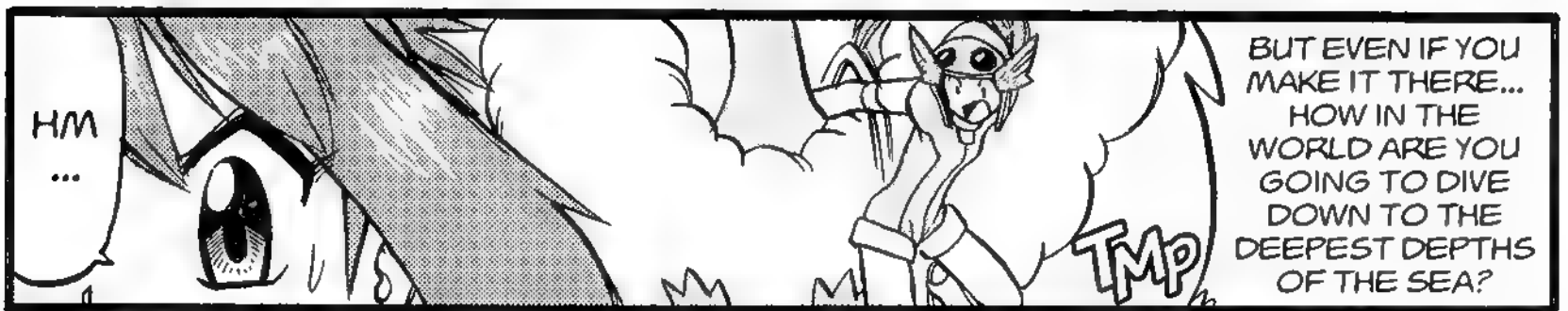


WE
TRAVELED
FROM ROUTE
123 TO ROUTE
126 BY SEA...

SO
YOU JUST
NEED TO
CONTINUE
IN THE
DIRECTION
OF SOOT-
OPOLIS
CITY.

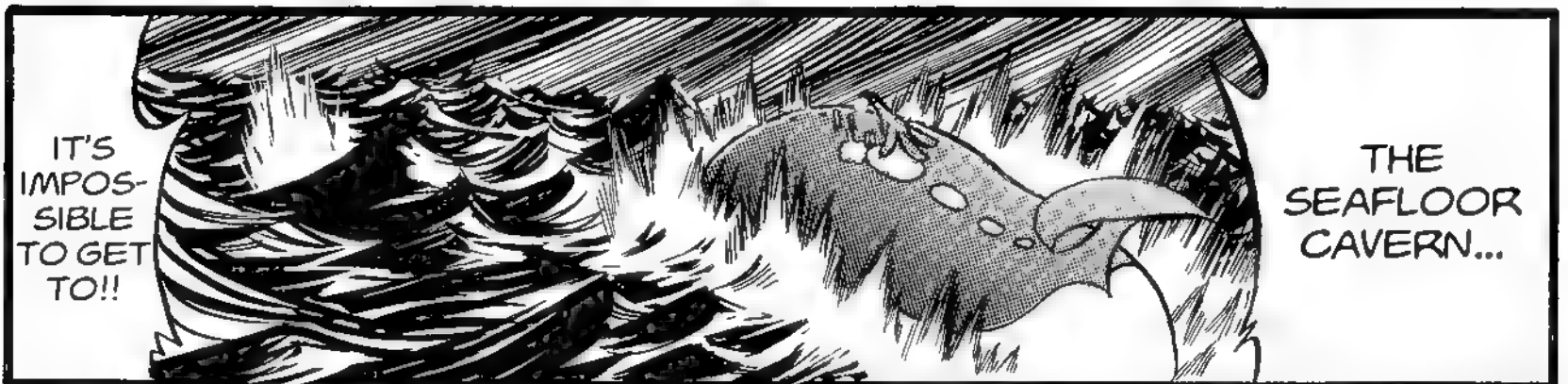


MASTER!
WHERE IS
THE SEA-
FLOOR
CAVERN
LOCATED
?!



HM
...

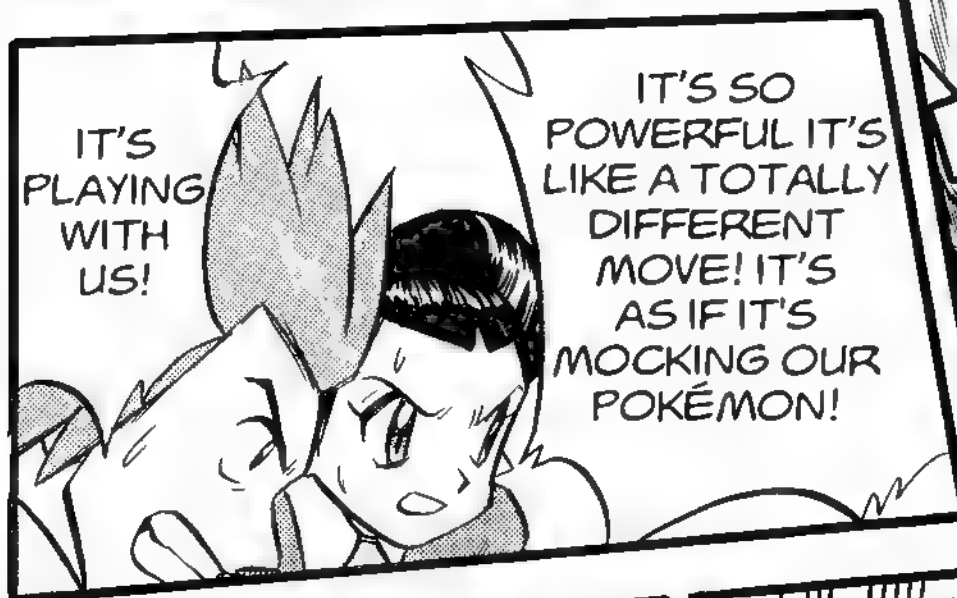
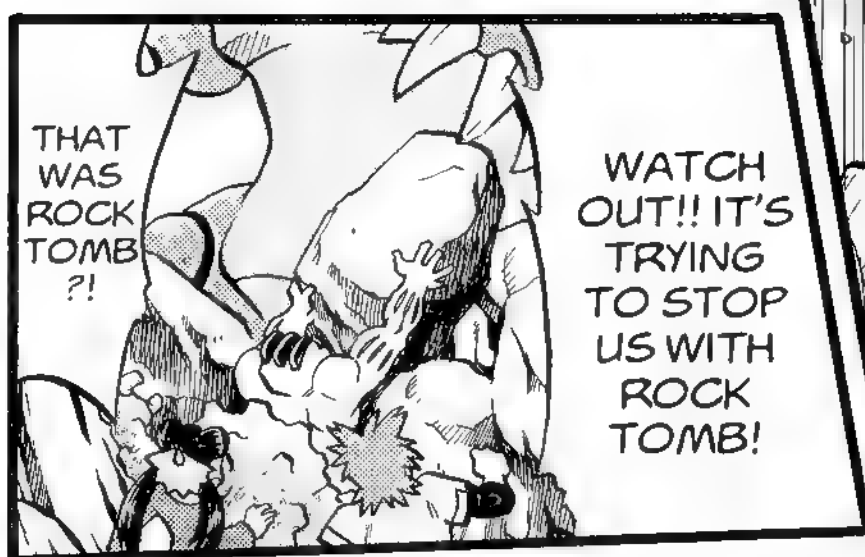
BUT EVEN IF YOU
MAKE IT THERE...
HOW IN THE
WORLD ARE YOU
GOING TO DIVE
DOWN TO THE
DEEPEST DEPTHS
OF THE SEA?



IT'S
IMPOS-
SIBLE
TO GET
TO!!

THE
SEAFLOOR
CAVERN...







WE
CAN'T
EVEN
TOUCH
IT!!

THIS
ISN'T
ABOUT
GROUDON
BEING
STRONGER
THAN
US!!



IT
PUSHED
YOUR
POKÉMON
AWAY
BEFORE
IT COULD
EVEN REACH
GROUDON!!



THUMP



NOT
YET!!



...AND
SHOOT
IT ALL
OUT
WITH
YOUR
NEXT
MOVE!!

GATHER
THE ELEC-
TRICITY
FROM THE
ATMO-
SPHERE
AROUND
YOU...



MANEC-
TRIC,
CHARGE
!!



I HAVE AN
ADVANTAGE
OVER IT
WITH MY
POKÉMON
TYPE!



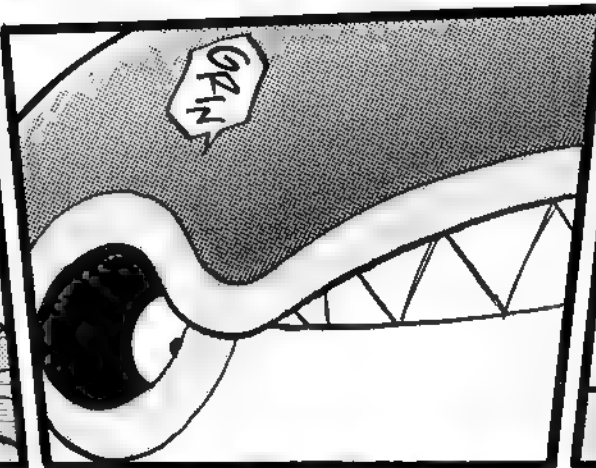
SHOCK
WAVE!!!



WHAT?!

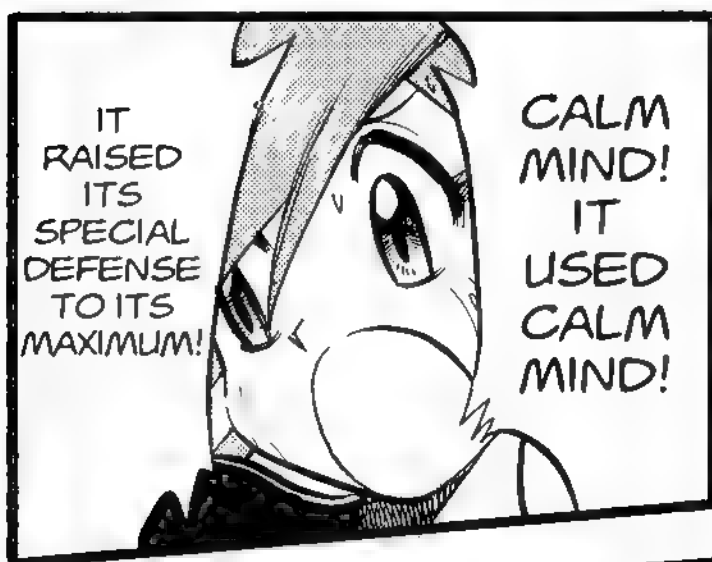
HUH?!

WATTSON!
IT SEEMS
COMPLETELY
UNAF-
FECTED!!



IT'S
A VERY
ACCURATE
MOVE,
SEE?
HOW'D YOU
LIKE THAT,
HUH?

YOU
DID
IT!!



IT
RAISED
ITS
SPECIAL
DEFENSE
TO ITS
MAXIMUM!

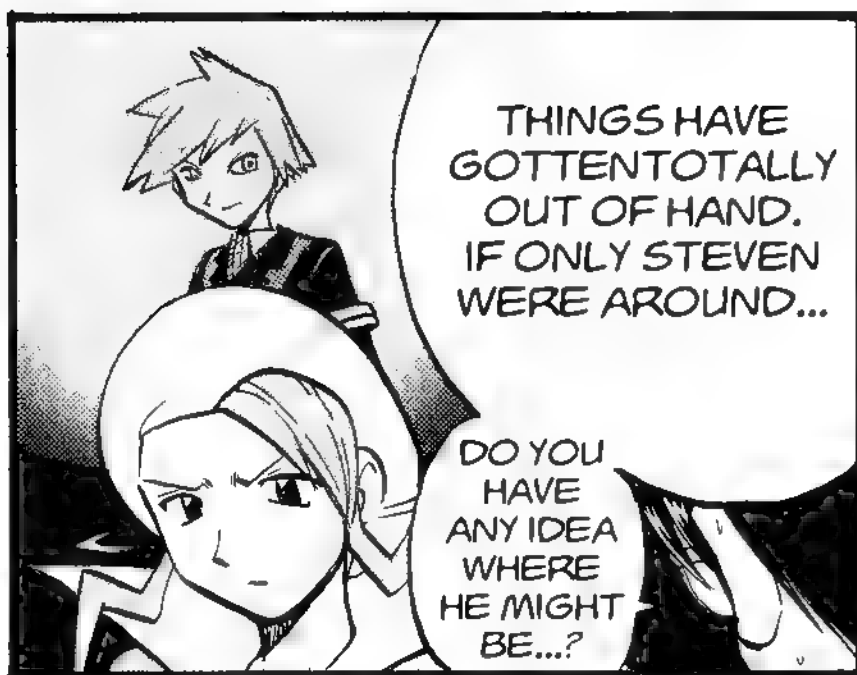
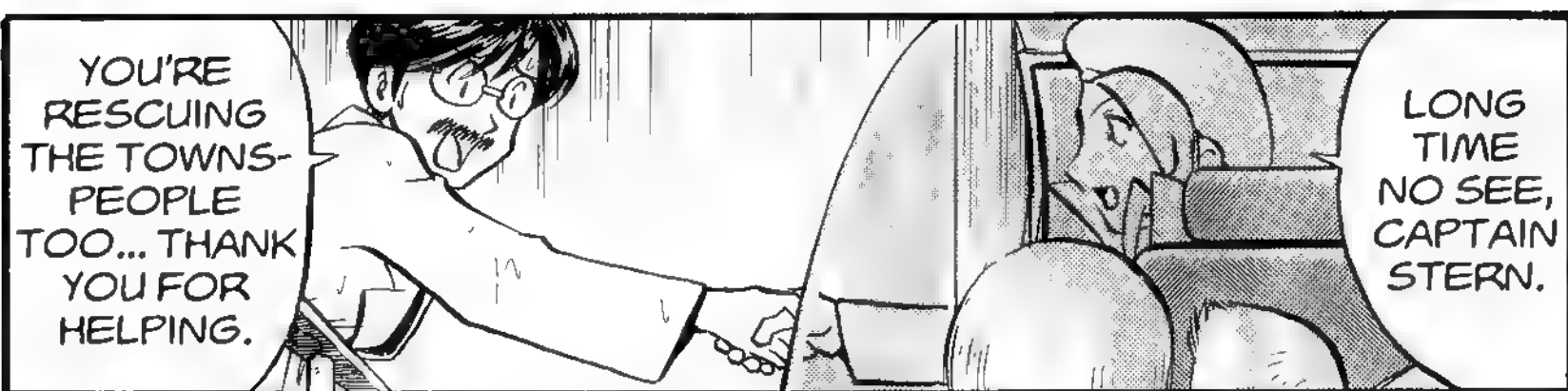
CALM
MIND!
IT
USED
CALM
MIND!

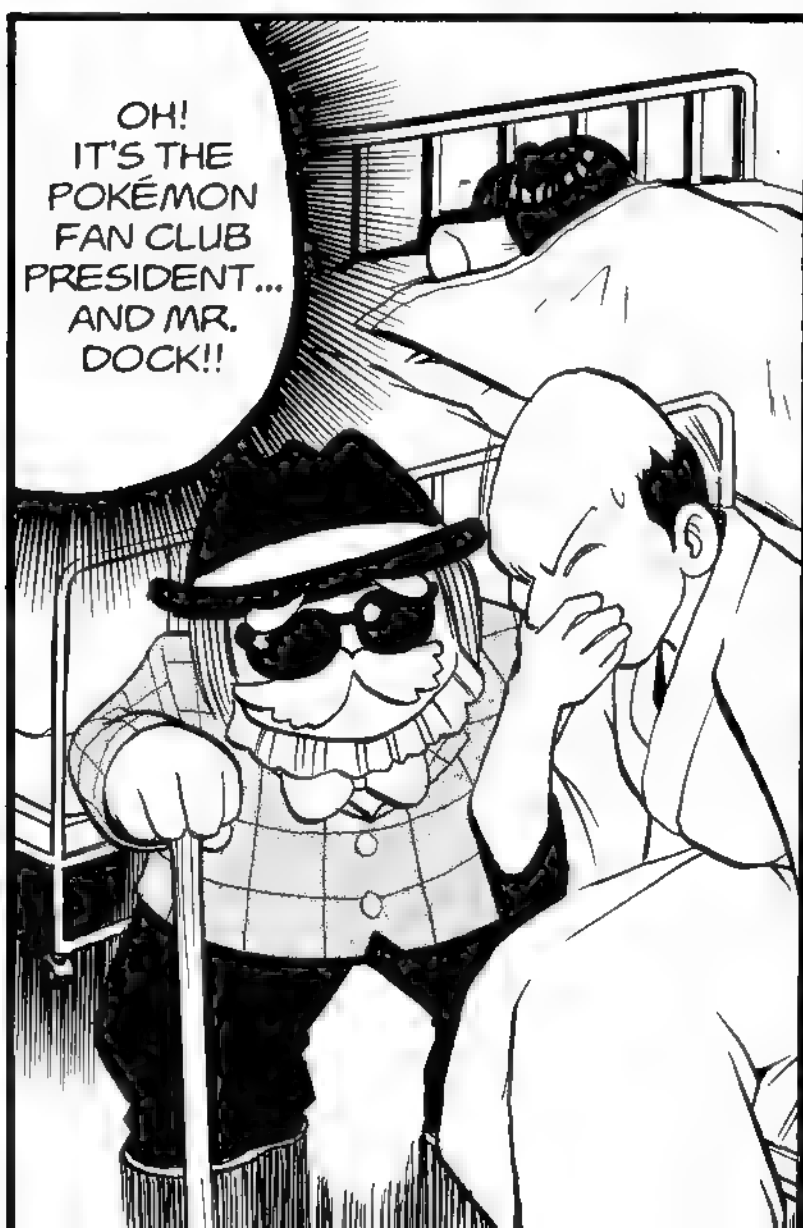
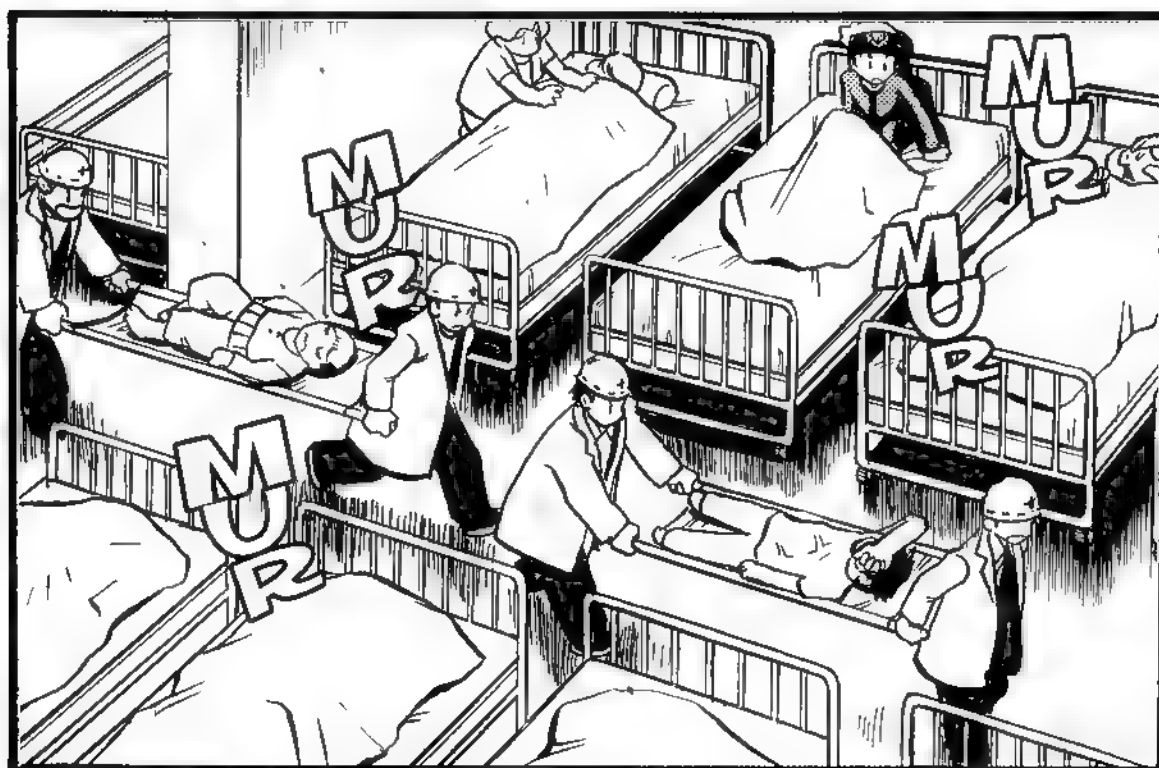


KYOGRE
ISN'T
JUST
RUN-
NING
WILD...

IT'S TAKING
MEASURES
TO PROTECT
ITSELF
BECAUSE IT
KNOWS WE'LL
ATTACK ITS
WEAKNESSES!









WE NEED
TO FIND
OUT WHAT'S
GOING
ON IN THE
OTHER
AREAS IN
HOENN!



THEY
SEEM TO
BE HAVING
TROUBLE
BREATHING...
BUT IT'S NOT
BECAUSE OF
THE WATER,
IS IT?



H
I
D
E



MASTER!

CAPTAIN
STERN!
GABBY AND
TY TOO!

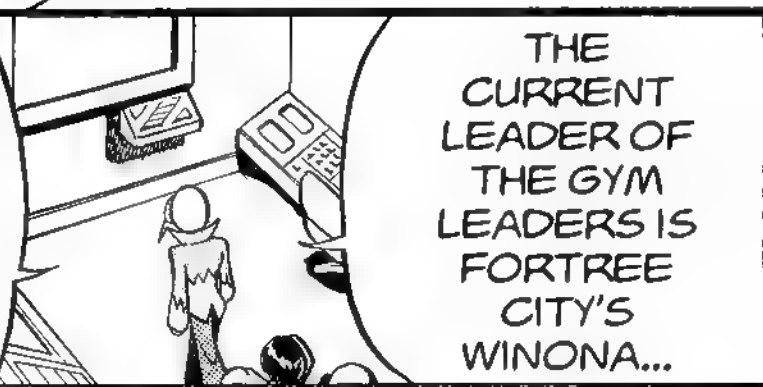
I CAN'T
HOLD MY
HEAD UP HIGH
IN FRONT OF
ANYONE... I'M
ASHAMED OF
MYSELF...



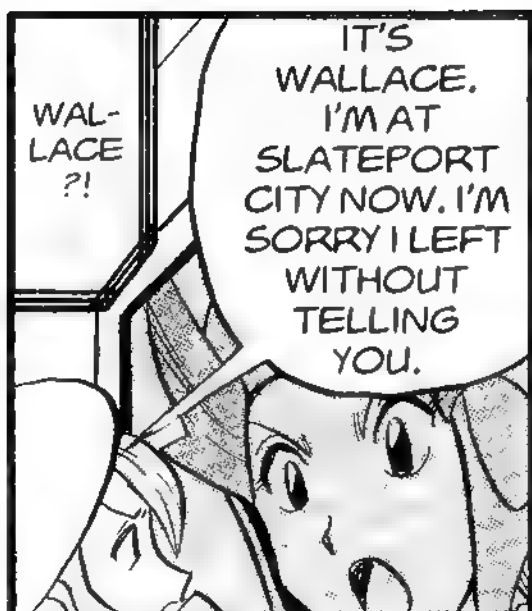
ALL I'VE
BEEN DOING...
IS RUNNING
AND HIDING
FROM THEM...



I'LL
CONTACT
HER AND
EXCHANGE
INFORMA-
TION.



THE
CURRENT
LEADER OF
THE GYM
LEADERS IS
FORTREE
CITY'S
WINONA...



WAL-
LACE
?!

IT'S
WALLACE.
I'M AT
SLATEPORT
CITY NOW. I'M
SORRY I LEFT
WITHOUT
TELLING
YOU.



WINONA
SPEAKING
...



SOMETHING
TERRIBLE
HAS
HAPPENED!
THE ANCIENT
LEGENDARY
POKÉMON
KYOGRE AND
GROUDON
HAVE
AWOKEN!

WE'RE
ABOVE
ROUTE 126
RIGHT NOW.
BUT THAT'S
NOT
IMPORTANT...



BUT...I'VE
LEARNED
THAT
THROWING
MORE GYM
LEADERS
AT THE
PROBLEM
WON'T SOLVE
IT!

IT'S TRUE
THAT I WANT
MORE
PEOPLE
TO STOP
KYOGRE
AND
GROUDON!

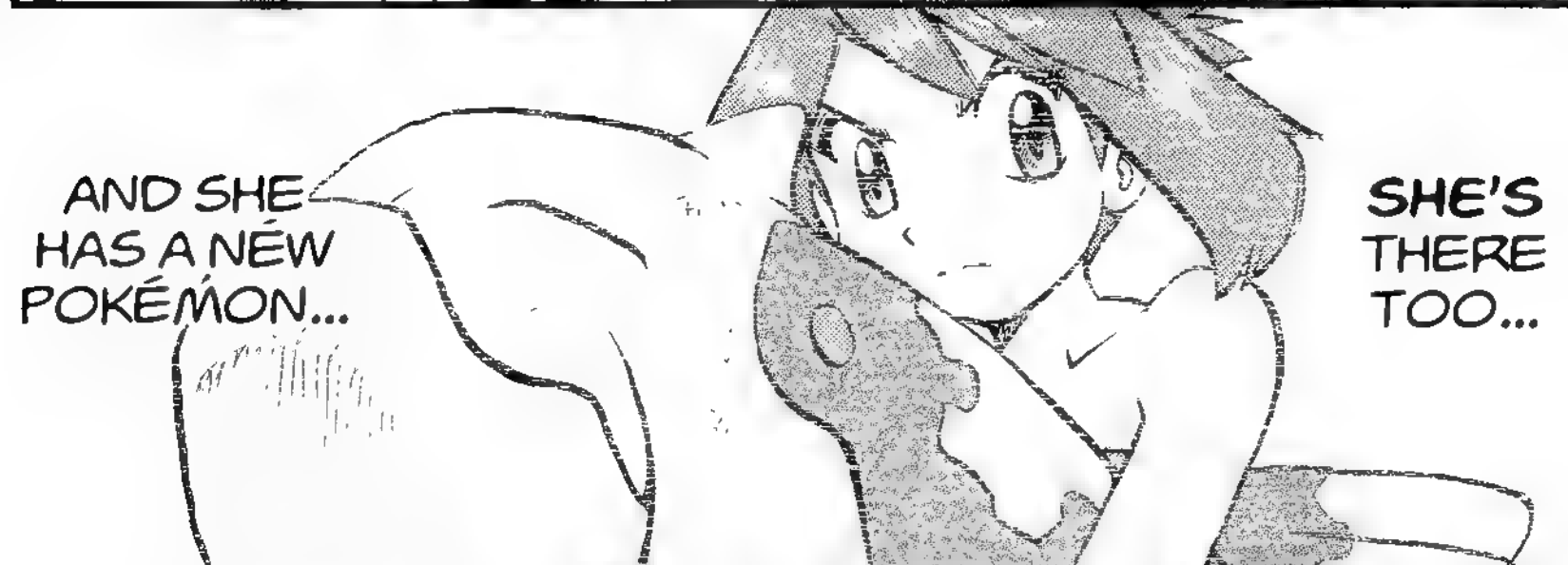
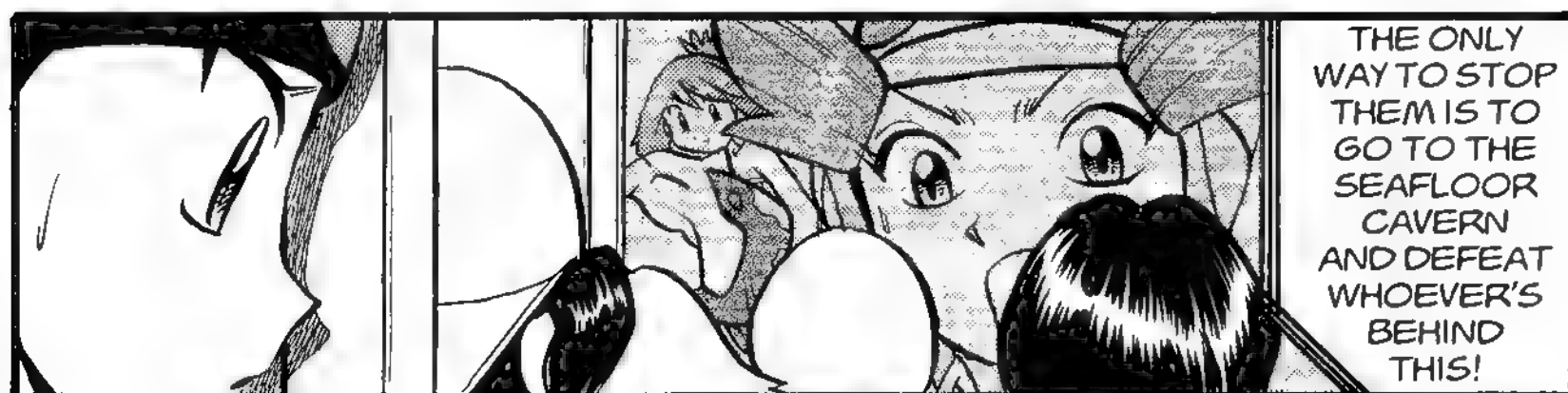


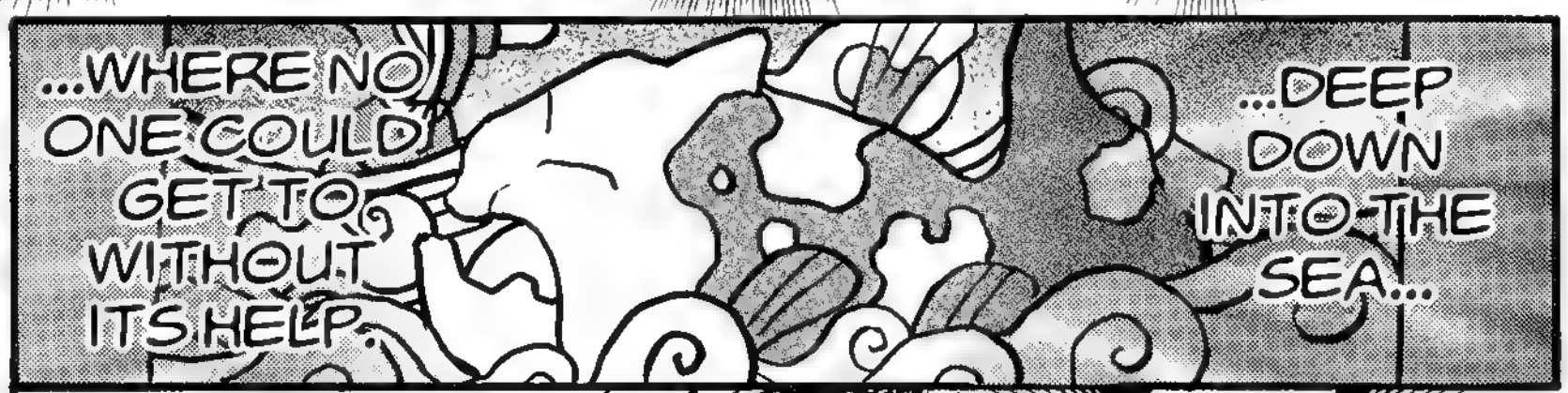
WATTSON AND
FLANNERY...
THEN ROXANNE
AND BRAWLY...
THEY'VE SPLIT
UP INTO PAIRS
TO DEAL WITH
THOSE
POKÉMON!



WAIT!
HOLD
ON A
MINUTE,
WALLACE
!!

OKAY! I'LL
GO AND
JOIN ONE
OF THOSE
TEAMS
RIGHT
AWAY!!







NEXT VOLUME!



RUBY, SAPPHIRE...AND THEN A NEW TRAINER PLUNGE INTO ACTION! WHO HOLDS THE KEY TO DEFEATING THE TWO EVIL ORGANIZATIONS AND PUTTING A STOP TO THE RAMPAGING LEGENDARY POKÉMON?!

POKÉMON
ADVENTURES

Volume 20!

The Hoenn Region
catastrophe comes
to Professor Birch!

Treecko and
the Pokédex are
swallowed by the waves!!!



MY
BAG!

...AND
MY
POKÉ-
DEX!

TREECKO
...

Meanwhile,
departing from
Pacifidlog
Town...

LET'S
GO!!

WALLY!

...With his
Pokémon...



WUP



...to take part
in a desperate
rescue mission...

And...

ANSWER
ME!

I WAS
UNABLE TO
FULFILL YOUR
WISH BACK
THEN...

**WHOSE
SHADOW HAS
APPEARED
BEFORE HIM?**

...BUT
I WOULD
LIKE TO
FULFILL
IT
NOW.

THE THIRD HOENN REGION ADVENTURE BEGINS!!

Stop the ancient Pokémon and the natural disasters they're causing!

HOENN CRISIS MAP

Check out the moves of the Gym Leaders who are trying to stop the natural disasters that are splitting the Hoenn Region in two...

Fortree City Area

THE DAMAGE FROM THE HEAT AND DROUGHT IS SPREADING. GROUDON'S ABILITY, DROUGHT, IS SO POWERFUL THAT IT HAS EVAPORATED RIVERS AND WITHERED TREES. THE GROUND AND AIR TEMPERATURE IS RISING RAPIDLY.

AS THE LEADER OF THE GYM LEADERS, WINONA SENDS RUBY AND SAPPHIRE OFF TO THE SEAFLOOR CAVERN. SHE IS ENTRUSTING THEM WITH THE FATE OF HOENN!

PEOPLE

NEW MAUVILLE

Dewford Town/ Slateport City Area

THE DAMAGE FROM THE TIDAL WAVES AND DOWNPOUR IS SPREADING. THE POWER OF KYOGRE'S ABILITY, DRIZZLE, IS FLOODING THE TOWNS IN THE AREA!

▲ THE POKÉMON ASSOCIATION ADVISED THE CITIZENS OF HOENN TO EVACUATE TO THIS SAFE UNDERGROUND CITY.

KYOGRE

KYOGRE RISES UP ABOVE THE SEA

CURRENTLY FIGHTING

FLANNERY

WATTSON

KYOGRE IS MOVING THROUGH ROUTE 108. FLANNERY AND WATTSON USE THE ABANDONED SHIP AS A STRONGHOLD TO FACE IT, BUT...

GROUDON

GROUDON RISES BACK UP ONTO THE LAND.

CURRENTLY FIGHTING

ROXANNE

BRAWLY

GROUDON HAS APPEARED NEAR FORTREE CITY! ROXANNE AND BRAWLY TRY TO HOLD OUT AGAINST ITS OVERWHELMING ATTACKS BUT...

TEAM MAGMA & TEAM AQUA

SEAFLOOR CAVERN

MAXIE

I CAN CONTROL GROUDON AND KYOGRE.

TEAM MAGMA HAS GOTTEN HOLD OF THE ORBS THAT ALLOW THEM TO CONTROL THE TWO ANCIENT POKÉMON. WILL THEY BEAT TEAM AQUA TO THE PUNCH?

► ARCHIE BELIEVES HE'S WON BECAUSE TEAM AQUA BROUGHT KYOGRE BACK BEFORE TEAM MAGMA. BUT HE DOESN'T KNOW ABOUT THE ORBS. WILL THE ORBS ALTER THE BALANCE OF POWER?!

WE'VE WON!!

ARCHIE

IF, AS THE LEGEND SAYS, THE TWO POKÉMON ARE EQUAL, THEN THE ONE WHO AWAKENS FIRST HAS THE ADVANTAGE!

RUBY & SAPPHIRE

◀ THE TWO USE RELICANTH'S MOVE DIVE TO TRAVEL DOWN TO THE SEAFLOOR CAVERN, WHERE THEY PLAN TO CONFRONT THE MASTERMIND CONTROLLING THE LEGENDARY POKÉMON. THE FATE OF HOENN IS IN THEIR HANDS.

ILLUSTRATION GALLERY

PRESENTING ILLUSTRATIONS DRAWN FOR SOME OF THE PREVIOUS CHAPTERS
UPON FIRST PUBLICATION IN JAPANESE CHILDREN'S MAGAZINES.

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Pair & Pair

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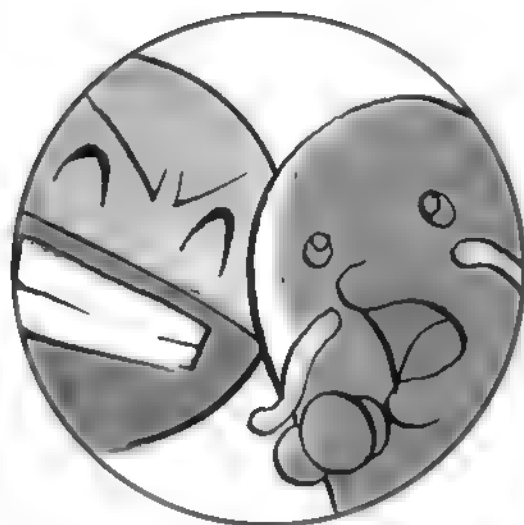
New Year's, First Fight?!

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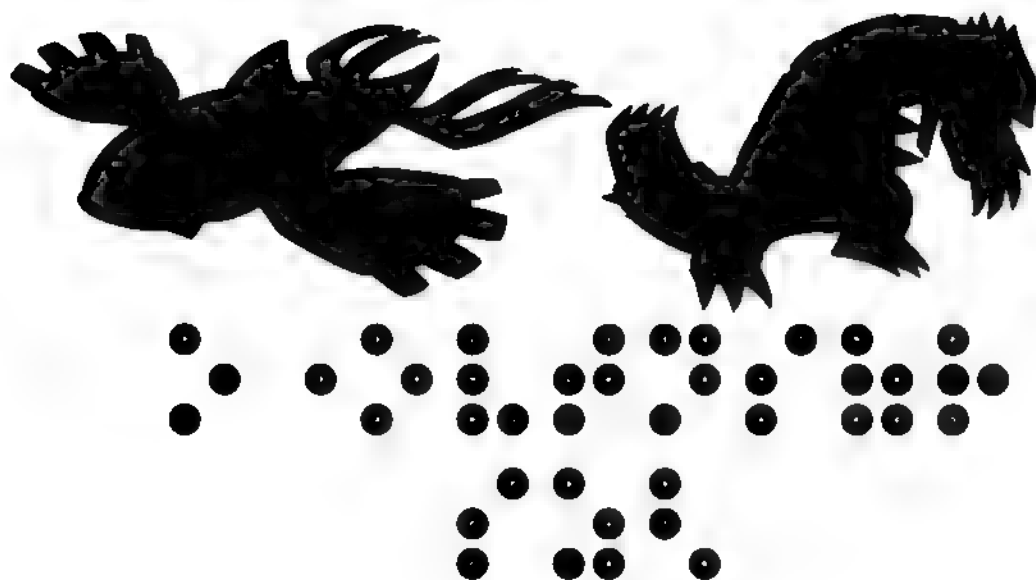
Message from Hidenori Kusaka

Not one, but *two* evil organizations—Team Aqua and Team Magma—appear in the Ruby and Sapphire story arc. Plus, the story is filled with all sorts of exciting new characters, starting with the bosses of the teams and their six admins. I tried to make a clear distinction between the two organizations when working on these episodes. I really like vol. 19 because it depicts the failure and comeback of a major character. I hope you enjoy it too...!

Message from Satoshi Yamamoto

The awakening of Kyogre and Groudon and the ensuing natural disasters tearing the Hoenn region apart... I've put a lot of effort into drawing these two Legendary Pokémon. I'm trying to emulate the style of my favorite monster movies and disaster movies. And then there are the misunderstandings and the bonds in the student and master relationships of Ruby and Wallace, Sapphire and Winona... I hope you enjoy all the ups and downs, the joys and sorrows!

● Chapter 238 ●
**The Beginning of the End with
Kyogre & Groudon VI**



The Fourth Chapter

IT'S THAT
ANCIENT
POKÉMON
MR. BRINEY
WAS
TALKING
ABOUT!



THAT'S
IT!

BUT THAT'S
IMPOSSIBLE!
BOTH THE
SUBMARINE
AND SPECIAL
DEVICE HAVE
BEEN
STOLEN!



THE ONLY
WAY TO STOP
THEM IS TO
GO TO THE
SEAFLOOR
CAVERN
AND DEFEAT
WHOEVER'S

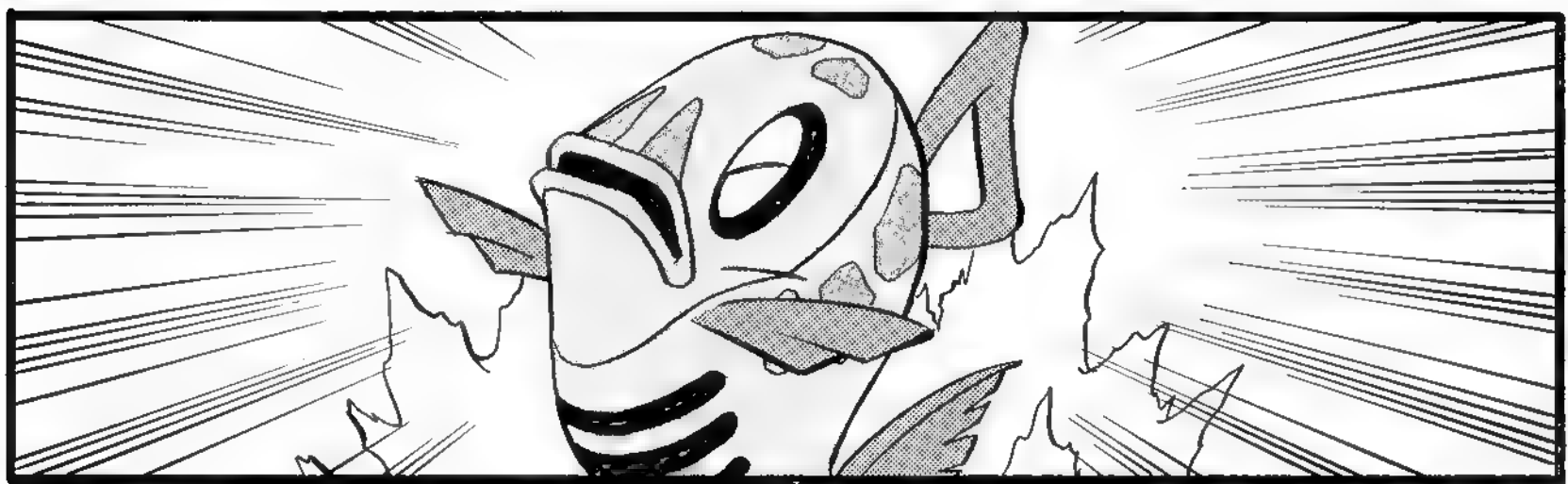
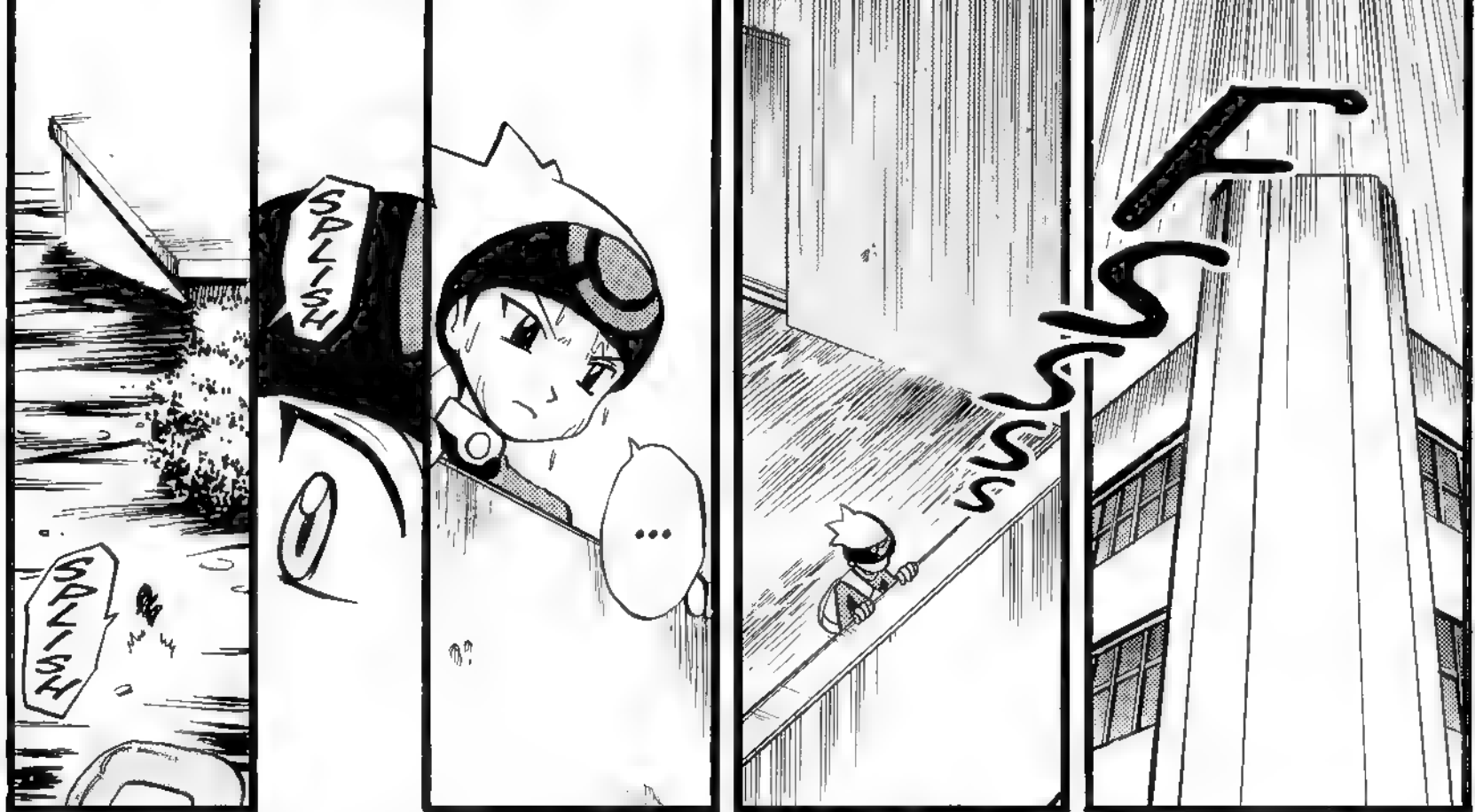
EVEN
SHE
DOESN'T
KNOW...

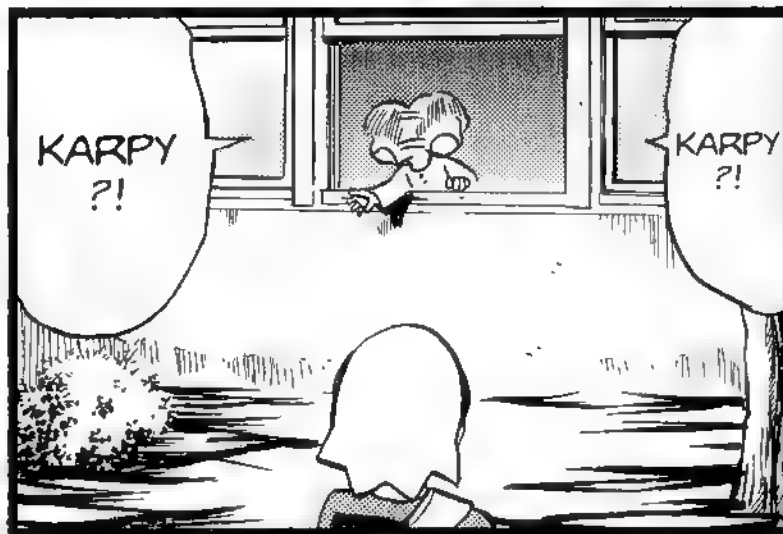


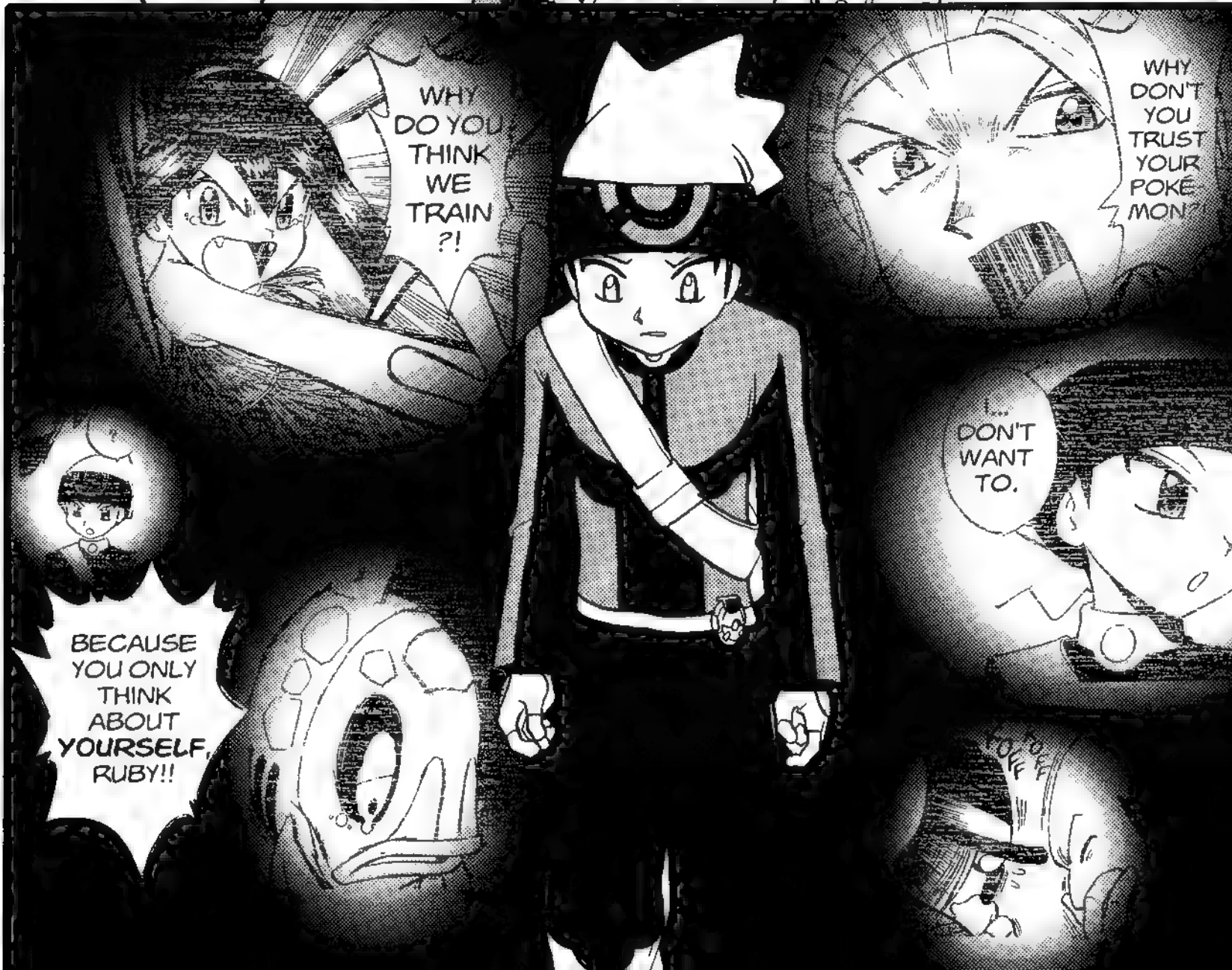
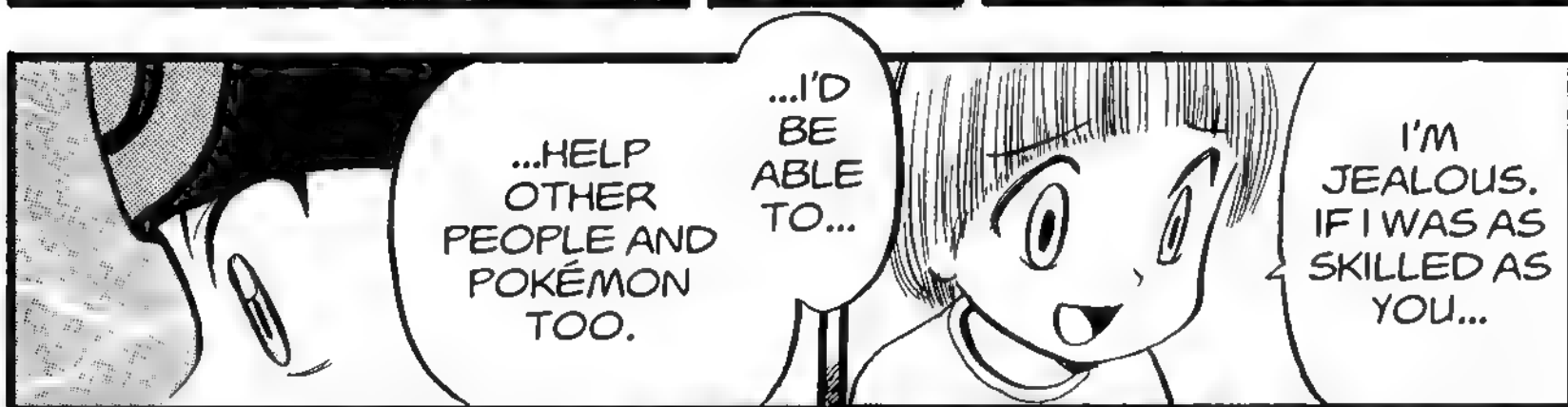
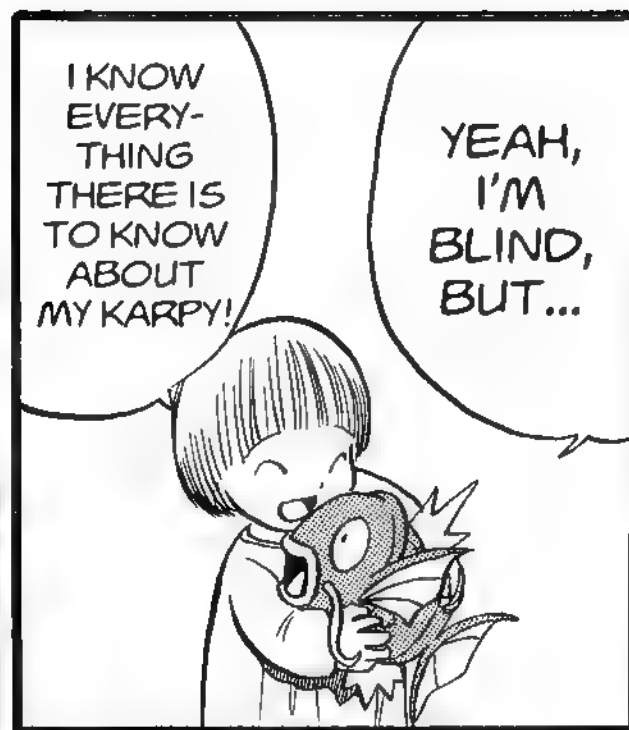
JUDGING
FROM THEIR
CONVERSATION, THEY
DON'T KNOW ABOUT
THIS POKÉMON'S
SPECIAL POWER..

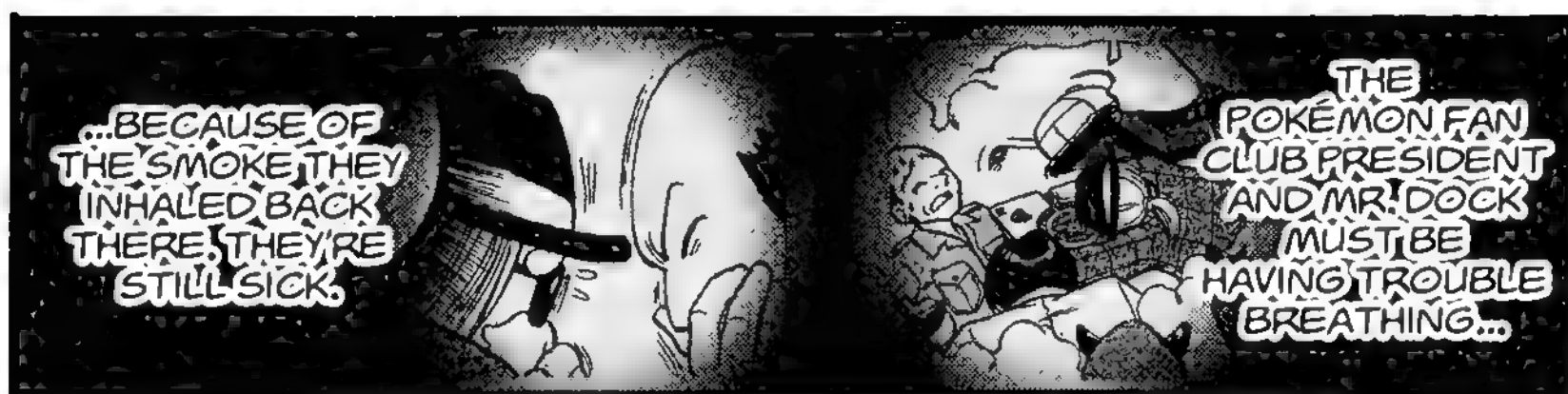
WE'RE ALL
IN DANGER...
AND I'M
THE ONLY
ONE...WHO
KNOWS...
WHAT TO
DO!











...BECAUSE OF
THE SMOKE THEY
INHALED BACK
THERE, THEY'RE
STILL SICK.

THE
POKÉMON FAN
CLUB PRESIDENT
AND MR. DOCK
MUST BE
HAVING TROUBLE
BREATHING...



AND PEOPLE
WHO ARE
WILLING TO
CHANGE THE
BALANCE OF
NATURE FOR
THEIR
PERSONAL
GAIN...

THERE ARE
PEOPLE WHO
DON'T CARE
ABOUT
HURTING OTHER
PEOPLE AND
POKÉMON...



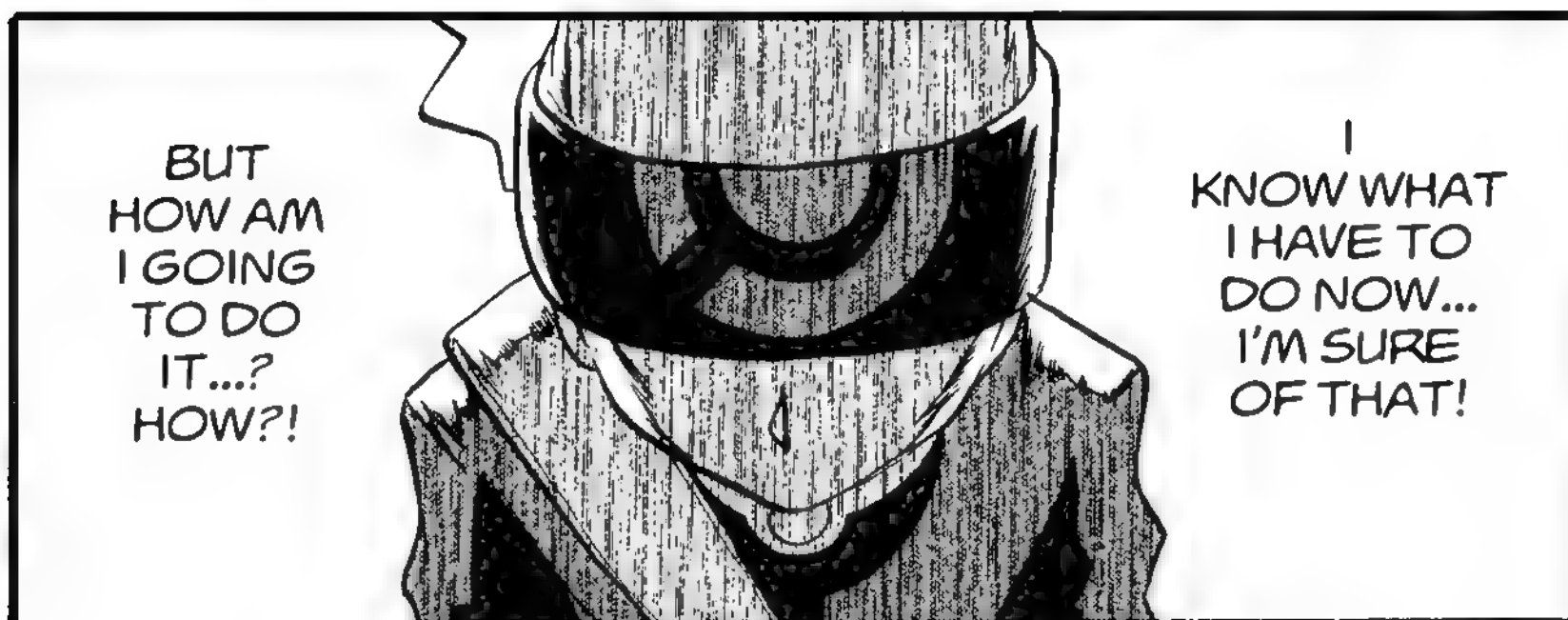
BUT I
DIDN'T DO
ANYTHING.
I DIDN'T SAY
ANYTHING.

I SAW THAT
ON MY JOURNEY...
I KNEW WHAT
WAS HAPPENING
ALL AROUND
ME...



I
HAVE THE
SKILLS
TO FACE
THEM!

URE
EVEN
THOUGH...



BUT
HOW AM
I GOING
TO DO
IT...?
HOW?!

I
KNOW WHAT
I HAVE TO
DO NOW...
I'M SURE
OF THAT!

THE
ANSWER
HAS BEEN
RIGHT IN
FRONT OF
ME FROM
THE VERY
BEGINNING!

HOW
AM I
GOING
TO
HELP?!



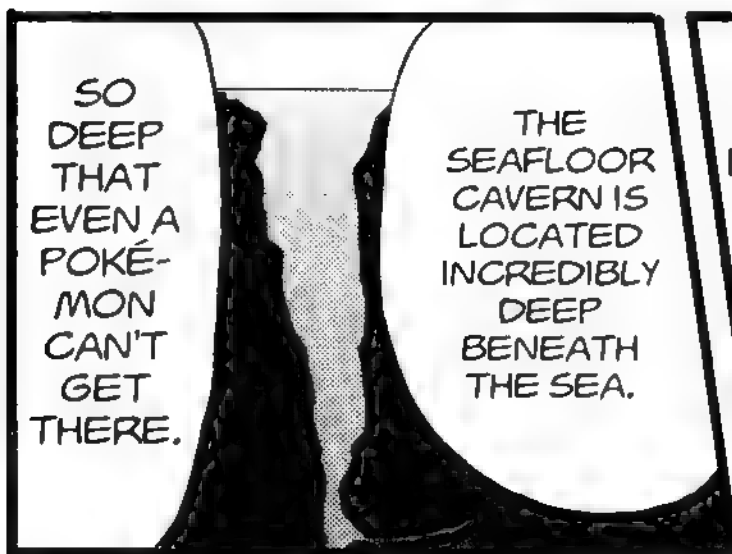


I want to
go and fight
Team Magma





HYUUUUUU!!



SO DEEP THAT EVEN A POKÉ-MON CAN'T GET THERE.

THE SEAFLOOR CAVERN IS LOCATED INCREDIBLY DEEP BENEATH THE SEA.



STOP IT, SAPPHIRE!

I CAN HOLD MY BREATH FOR FIVE MINUTES. TEN IF I TRY REAL HARD!!

I'LL SKIN-DIVE TO THE BOTTOM OF THE SEA!!



...BUT THERE'S NO WAY AROUND IT!!

IT'S FRUSTRATING ...



I KNOW HOW YOU FEEL.

BUT ...



I'M FRUSTRATED TOO!!

ROXANNE, BRAWLY, FLANNERY AND WATTSON ARE ALL RISKING THEIR LIVES TO FIGHT, AND ALL I CAN DO IS WATCH THEM.



THERE

...

...IS A
WAY!!

MR. BRINEY,
AN OLD
SAILOR
I MET A
WHILE
AGO...

...TOLD
ME THIS
STORY...

GRRRR

WHAT'S
HE DOIN'
HERE?!
WHAT
DOES HE
WANT?!

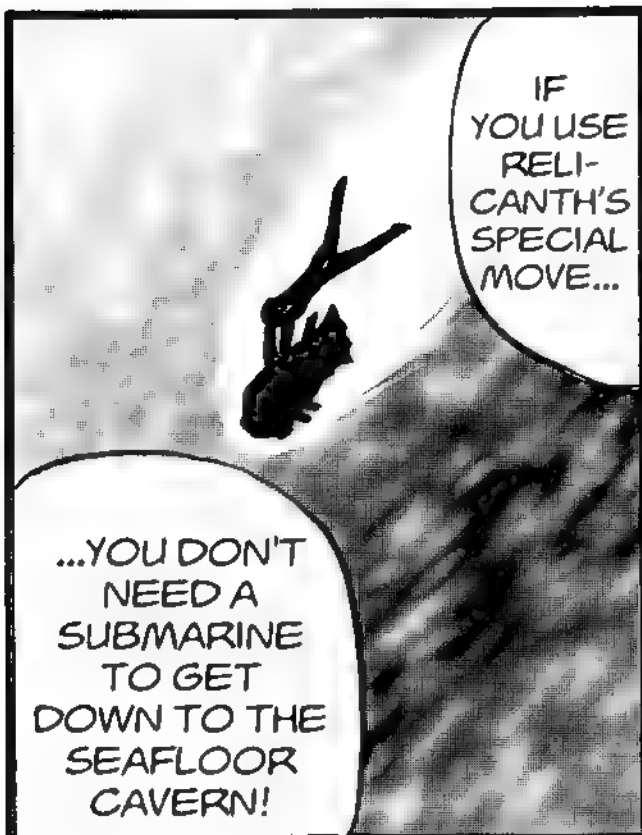
HEY!
YOU'RE

...



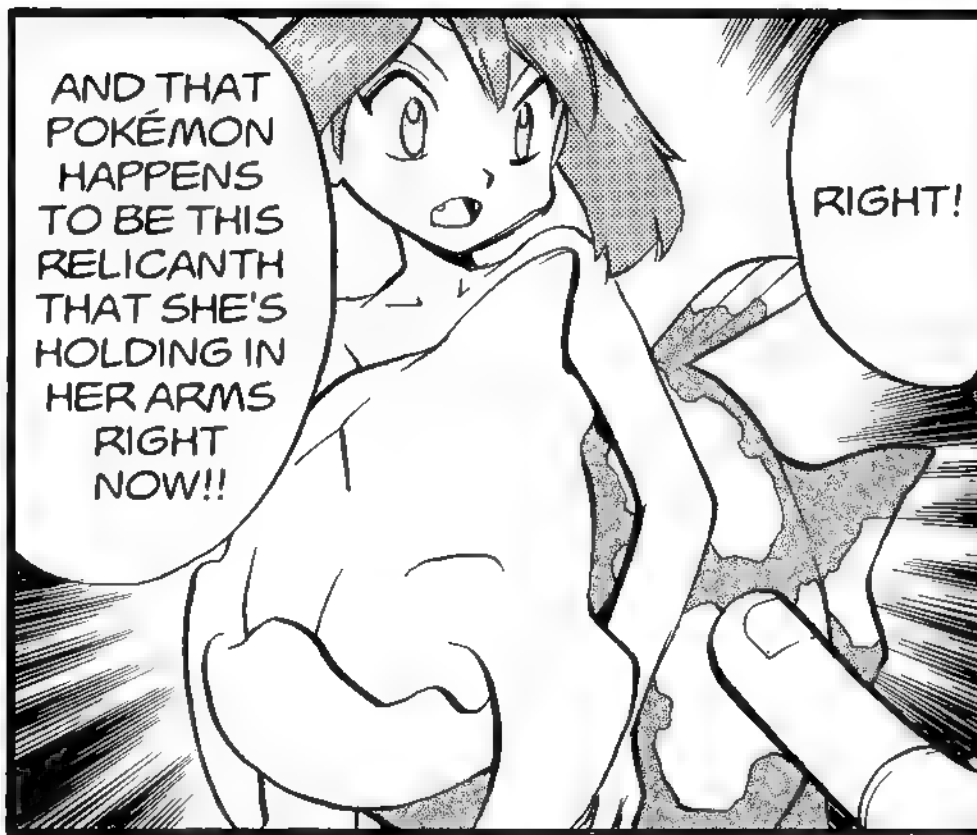
THE
BOTTOM OF
THE SEA?!
WITH THE
HELP OF A
POKÉMON?!

A STORY
ABOUT HOW
PEOPLE IN
ANCIENT
TIMES WERE
ABLE TO
SWIM TO THE
BOTTOM OF
THE SEA WITH
THE HELP OF
A POKÉMON!



IF
YOU USE
RELI-
CANTH'S
SPECIAL
MOVE...

...YOU DON'T
NEED A
SUBMARINE
TO GET
DOWN TO THE
SEAFLOOR
CAVERN!



AND THAT
POKÉMON
HAPPENS
TO BE THIS
RELICANTH
THAT SHE'S
HOLDING IN
HER ARMS
RIGHT
NOW!!

RIGHT!



MASTER,
WAIT!
THAT
STORY
...

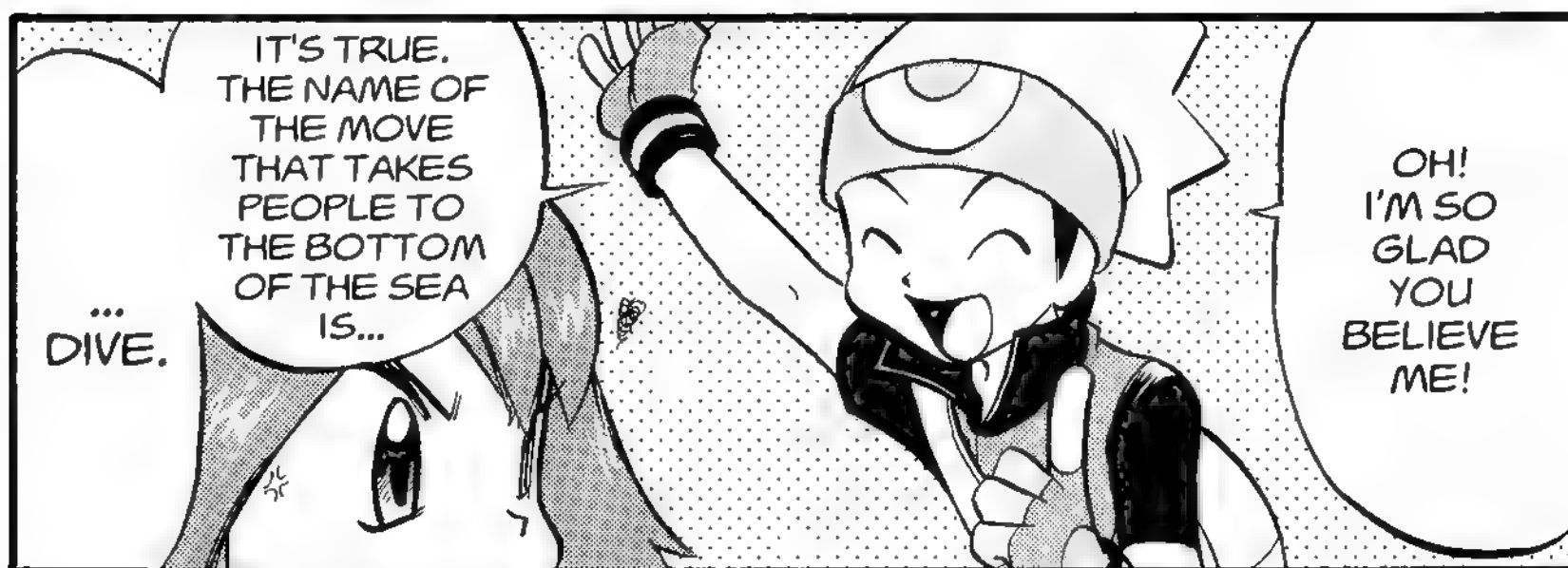
I DON'T
TRUST
SOME OLD
FISHERMAN'S
TALE NO
ONE'S HEARD
BEFORE!



THAT'S
ABSURD!

I
DON'T
BELIEVE
IT!

HOW COULD
A POKÉMON
TAKE YOU
DOWN TO
THE DEPTHS
OF THE SEA
WITHOUT
DROWNING
YOU?!





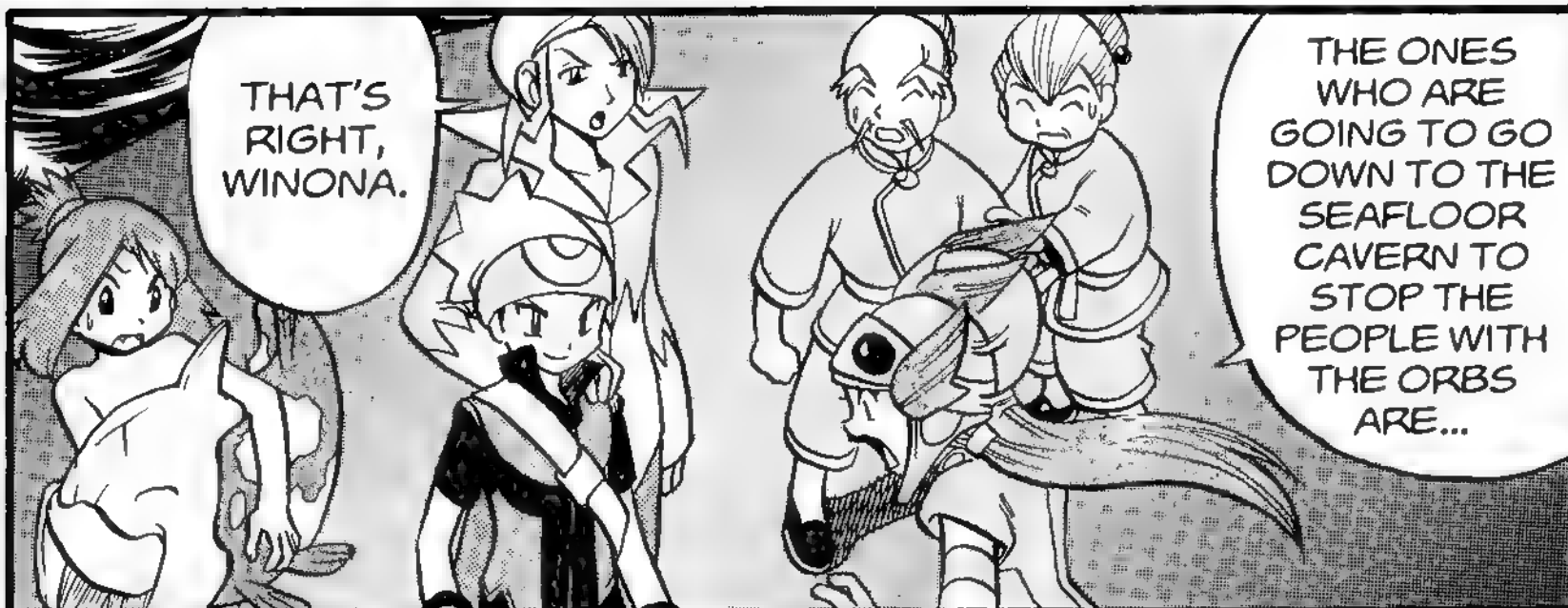
HEY!
ARE YOU
SAYING...



IS
THAT
SO?
OKAY,
THANKS
...

...TWO
CHILDREN
AT THE
MOST?

UH-HUH,
UH-HUH. A
RELICANTH
THAT SIZE
COULD
ONLY
CARRY THE
WEIGHT
OF...



THAT'S
RIGHT,
WINONA.

THE ONES
WHO ARE
GOING TO GO
DOWN TO THE
SEAFLOOR
CAVERN TO
STOP THE
PEOPLE WITH
THE ORBS
ARE...



RUBY
PROPOSED
THAT HE
GO...

...TOGETHER
WITH THE GIRL
WHO HAS THE
RELICANTH.



HE'S
MY PUPIL.
I TRUST
HIM.



IMPOSSIBLE!! THIS
ISN'T JUST ABOUT
GETTING DOWN
THERE, YOU KNOW!
THEY'LL HAVE TO
FIGHT THE VILLAINS
WHO ARE
CONTROLLING
GROUDON
AND KYOGRE!!

WHAT
...?

WIN-
ONA!



HEY!
WHAT
ARE
YOU
SAYIN'?!

OKAY
THEN...
TIME
TO GET
SUITED
UP!

AND WE
DON'T
HAVE ANY
TIME TO
SPARE...



WHAT
MAKES YOU
THINK I'M
GONNA...
I STILL
HAVEN'T
FORGIVEN
YOU, YOU
KNOW!!

Pretty
snazzy,
huh?

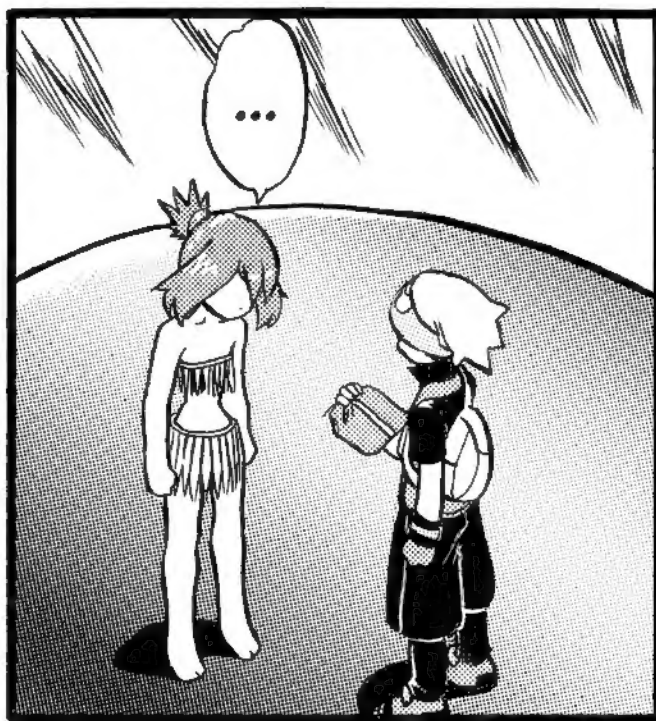
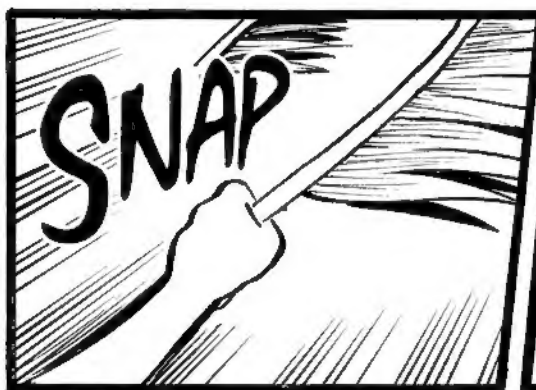
LOOK AT ME.
I MADE MYSELF
A NEW SET
OF CLOTHES
FOR GOING
DOWN TO A
PLACE WHERE
NO ONE
HAS GONE
BEFORE.



I'M
SURE...

I
MADE
A SET
FOR
YOU
TOO.

OH, COME ON.
YOU LOOK LIKE A
CAVEWOMAN AGAIN.
YOU'VE GOT TO WEAR
THE RIGHT CLOTHES
FOR THE JOB. DO YOU
SERIOUSLY THINK
LEAVES AND VINES ARE
A GOOD OUTFIT FOR
DIVING INTO THE SEA?







27 DAYS LEFT UNTIL THE DEADLINE!

TO BE CONTINUED...

